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## Moods of the Mode

THE Lilas shop is entrancing. It is the one disturbing, I might even go so far as to say destroying, influence in the lives of fashionable women. But it's certainly no place for a man. Of course, no one objects to Monsieur Petit-Peu; he's the very soul of Lilas.

As you've probably guessed by this time, I have a grievance; I nearly always have when I start out like this. It's about Vivaneen Latham. Believe me or no, that girl was twittering around the most feminine shop in the world with the most feminine man that I've ever had the displeasure of meeting.

Oh, yes, of course, Vivaneen had to present him. After which she lost her heart and her head, and I'm quite sure everything in her pocketbook besides, to a little jade anklet.

No, he wasn't the sort that needs mothering. What he appeared to need most in his infantile career was a lot of frilly things. He had the effrontery to tell me how he loved them, and how he wished, for instance, that he had been born back in the good old days of ancient Egypt when a man could wear that kind of thing and still be welcomed in society.

I don't know much about society in ancient Egypt, but I won't believe anything as bad as that about it. Do you honestly suppose that Vivaneen's parents know anything about this latest fad of their daughter's?



Veronica Kelly



Fannie Husk

"Swear to me, Zett, you won't tell any. You won't tell a living soul what breathes."

"Yanch, my own poor brother, but—"

"Swear! Knowing don't help, and

(Continued Tomorrow.)

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# FILM and SCREEN by C. Nario.

## How to Break Into Films Told by DeMille; Original Ideas Leading Requisite

By CECIL B. DE MILLE,  
(Director-General of Famous Players-Lasky)

If you have originality—the ability to do the thing you're told to do with the individual touch which makes your work different—and are willing to work long and hard, then you may succeed in the moving picture field.

I watch every individual who works in my productions. So does every other director who is interested in the success of his work. If I see one of them add a little touch of his or her own to the routine work, I promptly redouble my watchfulness. If that particular person shows further evidence of originality—in other words, convinces me that the first incident was not accidental—I give him or her every opportunity to get ahead.

Of course, to succeed on the screen, the candidate must pass a certain standard of physical fitness. But this is almost—no, quite—minor point with me. Brains are vastly more essential than beauty.

Some weeks ago, I filmed a studio night scene against the background of a specially-built summer hotel. There were perhaps a hundred "extras" playing the roles of guests. I paired off a dozen couples and told them to do just the things they would do if this were a real dance at a real summer hotel in real life. Then I watched.

One of the dozen girls, flirting mildly with her partner, lit his cigarette and then, moistening her thumb and forefinger, juggled the burning match in the age-old fashion which is supposed to indicate that intangible thing called "personality" to attract my attention.

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NORMA TALMADGE helped detect an alleged card swindle aimed at her husband, says a dispatch, while peculiarly enough her sister CONSTANCE appears in some sort of similar role in make-believe in her latest picture. But cards or no cards CONSTANCE'S approaching marriage to IRVING BERLIN, popular music composer, has been announced in Los Angeles. No date has been set.



## Norma Talmadge's Home Is Scene of Alleged Poker Swindle; Suit Threatened

By C. NARIO.

Come now the days when the art of press-agenting involves the sacred sanctums of the most high, when none is too sophisticated to be immune from contagion and when hardened veterans of reportorial and editorial conflict are in ever-present danger of yielding to the matchless strategy of the inventor of news. So faint has become the line of demarcation between legitimate and inspired news that in some cases there is no escape from the peril of peddling the latter, as, for instance, in the recent gulf storm that threatened to take the lives of D. W. Griffith and his boatload of talent on the Journey to Bermuda. All the big press associations paid out good money to convey the Griffith tale to the world and all the papers realized that if true it was real news. No expose has yet been made that it wasn't news, but Griffith's Los Angeles agent strangely showed no signs of alarm at any time during the typhoon. All of which leads to the latest bit of news that looks good and may be good. It pertains to stud poker.



Norma Talmadge and her husband and some other presumably wealthy New Yorkers. Tell the story of the alleged card swindle at her home.

**THE STORY**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—A season of stud poker, in which charges of cheating were flung by persons well known to Broadway life, may turn into an unprecedented benefit for New York City's poor.

Revelation of names of those who participated in the games was made. They included Joseph H. Schenck, husband of Norma Talmadge, who is now in the city; Louis Kronberg, a wealthy manufacturer of women's wear; J. H. Mack and other wealthy business men.

According to Kronberg's attorney, the former is accused of having won about \$30,000 by using marked cards. The attorney, on behalf of his client, stoutly denies both the winnings and the use of crooked cards and says he is prepared to bring suit for slander against the party or parties circulating such a story.

Under the penal code such procedure is warranted. If it is successful it will bring about \$1,650,000 to the coffers of the department of charities.

Director S. O. Clegg, commissioner of charities, wrote a letter to Corporation Counsel Burr requesting that he institute suit under section 923 of the penal code. Legal authorities say this is the first time in the history of New York State where an action of this sort is contemplated.

**SUSPICIONS ROUSED**  
According to the participants, Norma Talmadge has been seen in the city for some time. Finally one of the players at a party which "the winner" had arranged—pocketed a deck of his cards and took them to a professional gambler for examination.

"There's readers," said the professional. At the corner of each card on the back was a design resembling a four-leaf clover—the three-leafed flower of France. If the right-hand petal of the clover at the upper right hand of the group was heavily shaded the card was an ace. If the center petal of that particular flower was shaded it was a king; if the shading was on the left-hand side it was a queen.

There were four flowers, each with three petals. The shadings, therefore, stood for twelve different cards, according to where they were placed, these cards ranging down from the ace to the deuce. If no petal was shaded the card was a deuce.

**EXPOSURE PLANNED**  
Plans were then made by Mr. Schenck to expose "the winner" for several times he won large sums in the Schenck home, which is on the best known apartment house avenue in New York.

A game was arranged for New Year's night and "the winner" was invited. He went to the Schenck home at 7135, though the game was scheduled for 9, and with an excuse managed to approach the dining room buffet on which the cards of his host were kept. Mrs. Schenck noticed that he carried his overcoat into this room and apparently took something out of his pocket, while Mr. Schenck's attorney denied it.

The game started at 9 o'clock with eighty players. All well known Broadwayites. "The Winner" because the play was with a legitimate deck, lost \$650 in a few hands.

"I think I'll change the deck," he said, and went to the buffet, returning with a pack of the flour-deal design. It was his deal. The game reached a point where he had a single opponent. This man had two aces. "The Winner" had only two kings, but he shoved several thousand dollars' worth of chips into the pot, snuffing confidently.

**STOPS THE GAME**  
At this moment Mr. Schenck, according to the story as related in New York and which is being denied by the Schencks, stepped on the table and said:

"Boys, this is New Year's night; it's the beginning of a new deal all around for everybody. I've got a surprise I want to give to you."

"Oh, let's go on with the game," said "the Winner."

"Not yet," said Mr. Schenck, rising. "Boys, we're all supposed to be wise fellows, all old time card players. But I want to tell you that we've all been really humiliated by a thief and a crook."

Mr. Schenck walked around the table and faced "the Winner" as the thief.

"For what you did elsewhere, I can't take any action," said the film man. "But for bringing marked cards into my house and stealing from my guests I'm going to give you the beating of your life right here and now. Stick up your fists!"

Mr. Schenck is a stout, high-boned citizen with wide shoulders, long arms and a thick neck. He was dressed in a suit and tie and he gave "the Winner" everything he had.

After he had uttered all a few words and left his house, he was seen in a corner, then picked him up and administered what the "winner" lights of Broadway call the "winner's" punch.

"The Winner" landed finally in the quiet darkness of the ornamental avenue.

Thus ended the reading, telegraphically reported by the cackling good scenario gals.

**BEAUTY WITH WARWICK**  
Lois Wilson, who makes no defense of the accusation that she is one of the prize beauties of the screen, will be Major Robert Warwick's leading lady in a Paramount-Atterfack picture now said to be in the making. Lois was the winner of a beauty contest which was pulled off in her native state of Alabama.

## Theda Bara Out Of Films; Goes To Footlights

Theda Bara has deserted the screen for the stage, having signed a contract to appear in a play by George V. Hobart entitled "The Lost Soul." Miss Bara declined several offers of movie contracts because she refused longer to play vamp roles.

## Charles Ray Soon to Quit Ince Fold

Only recently Thomas H. Ince lost Dorothy Dalton. Now Charles Ray Productions, Inc., the name of the latest motion picture enterprise. The head of course, is the now popular Ince star, Charles Ray. He will visit New York on the completion of his contract with Ince, to glance over bigger Broadway and to get acquainted personally with the eastern managers and will return to Los Angeles by March 1, when he will take possession of a studio and proceed to work on his initial personal film. His first pictures will be released through the First National Exhibitors' Circuit. The president of the Ray Company is Charles T. Ray, father of the photoplayer.

## Studio Stories

**HELPING WILL ROGERS.**  
A railroad of Easterners became quite mortified when they collected a handful of money and presented it to Bill Rogers, after he had done a bit of roping at the station in Santa Cruz, where Rogers was at work on his new Goldwyn picture, "The Call of the Wild." The gum-chewing expert of the far west was sitting lazily in his saddle down at the depot when the eastern train pulled in. Several of the cowpunchers of the company were with him, and as the train came to a stop Rogers started a little for roping.

He did his tricks and then took the applause. Some enthusiastic person in the train took off his hat and cried: "Let's make up a little purse for the cowboy—this is real western stuff. Ain't it great?"

Everybody plunked down a quarter or a half, and soon the hat was brimming. Rogers then started the enthused individual presented it to the smiling Rogers. Bill took it, doffed his hat and said: "Guess this will help the children's hospital fund—thanks."

One of the cowpunchers yelled: "Pretty good one on you, old timers. This guy is Bill Rogers, and he makes a salary of \$4,000 a week. He's making a picture here now. Much obliged."

The man who had taken up the collection ducked into the smoking car and the ha-ha's of the other passengers.

## HAROLD LLOYD SAYS

Fashion note—Corkscrews will not be worn on the key-rings this year.

Speaking of inventors; you never hear anybody bragging about inventing the accordion.

Elisabeth, California, has undergone a startling change in the past twenty years. Charles Haden's lively stable has been turned into a garage.

Upon entering a photograph gallery the old fashioned woman always used to say: "I never did take a good picture." Can you imagine the modern movie girl saying anything like that?

A Chicago professor has made the discovery that "the" may be made valuable aid to mathematics. Here is where the good old time screen comedy enters the domain of real life.

On the stage and in the movies the "newsman reporter" always carries a pencil and notebook in his hand. At the same time a real reporter must have a pencil and notebook in his hand. Think it over.

It is considered unlucky to upset the salt shaker but it's more expensive to spill the sugar.

Jumping is the present high cost of leopards as would say that the Mother Goose had some "inside information" when she wrote: "The cat jumped over the Moon."

Some men are naturally so awkward and noisy that they can wear rubber heels and still sound like they are walking in wooden shoes.

There is a diamond-studded medal waiting for the animal trainer who can teach a kangaroo to walk on its hands.

Three most useless things in the world—skulries, efficiency experts and poets.

## Jean Acker Wedded at Karger Party

By MARGERY GRAY.  
HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 7.—Jean Acker, a veritable child of the stage, a young girl, brought up in a "normal" atmosphere, became the bride of Rudolph Valentino within thirty days of their first meeting. Jean is a valued member of the Metro family in Los Angeles and Valentino's dancing is such that he is kept constantly on the same payroll.

The marriage ceremony was performed at a party at the home of the big chief of the Metro, Maxwell Karger.

Three years ago, in New York, Jean joined the Vitaphone company and there she remained for small parts, until the great "Ziegfeld" herself "discovered" that she had screen possibilities and "persuaded" her to come to Los Angeles. Once here, she was assigned to play second lead to Nazimova in the Russian actress' current picture.

Jean had been in Los Angeles eight weeks when she met Valentino. "I never loved in love at first sight until then," Jean confessed to me, "but it certainly was the case with us."

It was in the neighborhood grocery that I met them on the first day of their married life. They had come to purchase food for their dinner, which they were going to cook their very own selves in their little new apartment. They were getting so much pleasure out of their first shopping tour!

"You were married on a date, weren't you?" I asked.

"The papers today stated that we were, but that is untrue," the young bride replied. "We had planned to wait until we were invited to the Karger party for the evening we thought it would be the best opportunity, all our friends being together, so we took a minister with us."

Marguerite De La Motte, one of the stars of "The Screamers," from Emerson Hough's famous novel, portrays blindness in her part of Mary Warren, so naturally and charmingly that the spectator does not stop to wonder how she does it.

As a matter of fact, the peculiar trick of appearing blind, which her case consisted in keeping her eyes wide open and straight in front of her, unfocused, looking through and beyond whatever might come before them, took Miss De La Motte a long time to master.

Learning to be blind took practice over a period of several weeks. With the cooperation of some other person. For, of course, one could not be blind and look in a mirror, so she was unable to see herself. Her mother was the person who usually aided her, watching her expression, telling her how she looked and whether or not she was doing well.

"Now I've learned it thoroughly, and if I ever have to act blind again there will be no lost time," said Miss De La Motte in discussing her weeks of training in the art of simulating blindness.

## DeMille Compared With D. W. Griffith

A Los Angeles motion picture reviewer discusses David Wark Griffith and Cecil de Mille in this fashion: "Where Griffith is at his best is a Thackeray. The former loves to delve in the slums and the brothel and out in the rural freedom; the latter never can leave the parlor long enough to let you forget the atmosphere of elegance or the type of human being who gossips over the tea cups and bathes in perfume-scented water. Griffith at his best 'give-ers.' Cecil at his best 'epicure' knows the value of the de Mille recipe."

## Plar Studio

J. WARREN KERRIGAN started in motion pictures in society roles and when he went to Los Angeles to produce, had a hard time to convince producers that he could play "give-ers." Then, later, he had an "epicure" hard job convincing them that he knew how to play society roles. He had grown so used to his Western roles. Kerrigan was born in Louisville, Ky., in 1888, and was reared and educated there. He had a varied stage career and for his work in "The Road to Yesterday" and "Brown of Harvard" popularity was rewarded. He began his screen career with Essanay, then in succession played under American, Universal and Paralta banners, then joining forces with Producer Robert B. Hays at the latter's studios in Los Angeles. He is 5 feet 10 inches high, weighs 190 pounds, has black hair and hazel eyes. He is a devotee of outdoor sports.

JANE NOVAK, who is well known to picture fans, confesses with all the signs of keen humiliation, that she never has seen the lights of Hollywood. She was born in St. Louis, had a little in stock and vaudeville and then went to Southern California, where she broke into films. This was about six years ago, and she has appeared with Roy Hart, Sessue Hayakawa, Charles Ray and other celebrities. Now she has a big part with Pauline Frederick and one in which her blonde beauty is showing up well. According to her biographer, Miss Novak is 24 years old. Her height is 5 feet 11 inches, she weighs about 130 pounds and her eyes are blue.

## The Illiterate Digest

By WILL ROGERS  
Well, this looks like it will be a wonderful year, if we can only afford to live through it.

A customer investigating the high cost of living turned in a report. "We find the cost of living very high and recommend more funds to carry on the investigation."

Two friends were going into a cafe and not knowing what to order finally decided to split an egg. Most places are using girl waitresses. Well, they can do it. Even a child could carry in all you get nowadays.

That's one advantage of the cafeteria. You get to see the food even if you can't afford to buy it. This seems to be an open season for married couples to shoot each other.

There used to be just as many husbands shot at in the old days, but women's aim is better now and more husbands are being hit. A rich New York widow sues for more alimony. Claims can't support child on fifty thousand a year. Somebody's been feeding that kid meat.

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## Bosworth in Double Role Thrills Crowd

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## Film Flicker

Screen fans throughout the country welcomed back with great glee an old comedy favorite in Flora Finch, one of J. Stuart Blackton's finds in the early Vitaphone days. In her appearance in "Dawn," Commodore Blackton's latest release through Pathé.

Kathleen Kerrigan, the talented sister of J. Warren Kerrigan, an important part in her brother's latest Brunton production, "One Week-End," a lively comedy of New York society life. Although not as well known to picture fans as Warren, Miss Kerrigan has a long and enviable record on the stage and screen. She starred in the Balasco production of "Sweet Kitty Bellairs," the play in which she was introduced to the picture.

More like a modern hotel than a prison is the Arizona state penitentiary, according to ten members of Bert Lytell's company filming "Alias Jimmy Valentine." Arthur D. Ripley, director, after five days at Phoenix, Ariz., reported that he had difficulty in locating barred windows at the prison for scenes of the Paul Armstrong crook play.

Marie Dorro's production, "1219," which was directed by Herbert Brenon and has been booked by every theater on Broadway, New York, from Fifth street as far north as One Hundred and Tenth street, with the exception to two. "1219" is the first film Dorro production available to exhibitors for some time and her following among the fans has been unusually large.

Charles T. Ray, popular motion picture actor and historian, has been engaged by Harry Garson to assist in the production of "The Soul of Rafael," which is to be Clara Kimball Young's next feature picture. It is a story of early California and many of the scenes are laid amidst the old missions. Atmosphere and detail are as important to this tale as dramatic action and Mr. Ray will have complete charge of this portion of the work. He is considered the foremost authority on early California history, customs and usages and is already at work on securing authentic and beautiful scenes to be made.

"The Woman in Room 13," which has just been completed for Goldwyn, will feature Pauline Frederick as the star, with introductions to the screen Marguerite Snow, a famous screen beauty, who has been absent from the films for a few years.

The little girl who has been writing all the Charles Ray scripts and who also scenarioized "Daddy Longlegs" for Mary Pickford and "Twenty-three and a Half Hours Leave" for Douglas MacLean and Doris May, is soon to be married. Her name is Agnes Christine Johnston and her very fortunate young man is Frank Lawley, who is writing scripts for Mildred Harris Chaplin and Anita Stewart.

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## Film Settings to Be Historically Correct Metro Puts Expert in Charge of Research Matters of Dispute to Be Referred to Him

A research department is the newest addition to the technical division of the production forces at the Metro studios in Hollywood. David S. McCann has been placed in charge of the work by Clifford P. Butler, general superintendent of the studio. Mr. McCann has been attorney for Metro in Los Angeles for two years and will continue in that post. He is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and a close student of history as well as of law. A library of 1100 volumes of travel, history and science will be at Mr. McCann's disposal.

"This department will answer all questions of fact or fiction relating to the setting of Metro productions," stated Mr. Butler, when asked to outline the scope of the research work. "That will include detailed information on customs or peoples; religious and social ceremonies; field of art covered by clothing and architecture; reason and use of special decorations; literary efforts; types of commerce; methods of conveyance; in fact, all historical matters that may be of interest."

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## BOOK REVIEWS AND LITERARY NOTES

## SPANISH-AMERICA

"Studies in Spanish American Literature" by Isaac Goldberg, Introduces New Group of Moderns Who Are Bringing Distinction to Their Countries.

With "Studies in Spanish-American Literature," Isaac Goldberg has performed a pioneer work. Heretofore it has been a matter of argument as to whether any such thing as Spanish-American literature and there have been quibblings over the meaning of the word.

If an establishment of centuries must be shown and if all sources must be traced in proof of a finished output, there may be no "literature" in South and Central America. On the other hand, if essays that approach those of Emerson, poems that are like Whitman and utterly unlike him, and novels that reflect the poetic and narrative spirit of the French, may be given the recognition they deserve, there is such a literature.

Of course, the appreciation given in America to the writers of the South America has been lessened because our knowledge of Spanish is not general. Then, these South Americans are now.

Goldberg has told in his book the stories of Ruben Dario, the passionate, roaming, and eccentric poet who died but four years ago. A man of questioning, fears and vacillations, he won a permanent place among the Spanish poets and the poets of the world, a place that no amount of over-praise can remove.

Then there is Enrique Jose Rodo, 1872-1917, the dynamic philosopher of unending self-renewal. He was a Uruguayan and his essays have been compared to those of Emerson. His critics have been able to say little more than that it is the manner of his writing that has won and not the content. He was on a fair way of winning world-wide recognition when he died.

Jose Maria Eguen, Peruvian, is still writing verse containing a new note. He is a painter and musician as well as in all his work main-

tains scrupulous care that there shall be published nothing that shall not be his best.

Jose Santos Chocano, ringing bell and blaring trumpet is bringing more fame to Peruvian letters. He is at once epic and lyric and seeks to reconcile the old Spain with its former colonies.

Of Rufino Blanco Fombona, the Venezuelan, poet, critic, novelist, and sociologist, Goldberg has written with a particular sympathy.

The book discusses, briefly, the lives of these men and their best works. It gives short passages in Spanish with translations in English and would interpret not only the worth of the writings but their intent and spirit.

To many Goldberg's work will be an introduction to a new group of startling promise, a group of men who are making the literature of today for their countries and who are doing what, a few years ago, would have been considered impossible of South America.

So welcome has been this study of our neighboring writers that many universities have included it as a text book. It has given an impetus to the study of South American literature at a time when the nation has been looking to the south for commercial exchanges and will aid in cementing relations between the United States and Spanish-America through an understanding and appreciation that is not based on trade.

It is probable that the book will be followed with translations of many of the essays and poems referred to and that South America will give us, in larger measure, the evidence of the fact that it has a literature.

"Studies in Spanish-American Literature," by Isaac Goldberg: New York, Brentano's, \$2.50.

"Rip Van Winkle" Proves Light Opera Is Not Dead

The recent premier of the Mackaye opera "Rip Van Winkle" in Chicago and the sudden death of its composer, Reginald De Koven, have brought it into a considerable measure of prominence.

The book of the opera, that part written by Percy Mackaye is out in a thin volume to be added to the growing library from the pen of this versatile dramatist, essayist, and poet.

"Rip Van Winkle" should not be read by those who would have the librettist cling faithfully to the original prose version, but it should be read by those who have thought that the days when Americans could produce light opera of a kind to rank with "Robin Hood," "Pinafore," and "The Mikado" had passed. It shows Mackaye in a new vein, an elastic, fanciful one, quite unlike the author of the ballad play "Washington," or the community masque "Caliban."

The songs in "Rip Van Winkle" are real songs, something surprising in modern opera. The libretto is slighted to no grave extent that auditors have long ceased to protest. There is a fairy-tale touch to the play in keeping with the legend of the Catskills, and if the author chooses to introduce the libretto and the new ending, there can be no objection save that of the one who holds Washington Irving's story too sacred for alteration.

Perhaps these persons will recall that Irving took the story from a version current in the Hartz Mountains of Europe and transplanted it to the Catskills, and that, before that, from Japan to Central America.

"Rip" is the same lovable Rip of old, Katrina, the same scolding woman, and there is the same old setting of Dutch village life. The dog, "Schneider," and the "cat" of Irving is nowhere to be found, but the whistlers, the broken musket, and the famous game of ninepins figure prominently in the action.

What Mackaye has done is to take up the mountains with Rip a little girl, one who has grown to womanhood by the time he awakes. The plot of a magic flask, by Hendrik Hudson works for Rip a return from his decrepit condition and unites, before the ghostly assemblage of Hudson's sailors, Rip and Peterke. There is occasion for many spectacular scenes and one may imagine the ninepin game with its thunderous songs as being most effective.

A reading of the play will occasion the hope to see the opera as well as the wish that Mackaye, or someone else, will be encouraged to do more along the same line.

"Rip Van Winkle," by Percy Mackaye: New York, Alfred A. Knopf, \$1.50.

## MARSE HENRY ON ARTEMUS WARD

Colonel Henry Watterson's autobiography, which is called "Marse Henry" (published by George H. Doran Company), is a veritable storehouse of information about famous characters who lived and flourished during the eighty years of Colonel Watterson's eventful life. Such a character is Artemus Ward, whom the Wattersons met in London at the height of success in his lectures; although, as Colonel Watterson writes, "this condition was pitiable. He was too feeble to walk alone and was continually struggling to breathe freely. Nevertheless, he stuck to his lecture and continued to keep up appearances before the crowds that flocked to hear him, and even in London his critical state of health was not suspected."

"So little is known of Artemus Ward," Colonel Watterson continues, "that some biographical particulars may not in this connection be out of place or lacking in interest."

"Charles F. Browne was born at Watertown, Maine, the 15th of July, 1822. His father was a state senator, a probate judge, and at one time a wealthy citizen; but at his death, when his famous son was yet a lad, left his family little or no property. Charles apprenticed himself to a printer, and served out his time, first in Springfield and then in Boston. In the latter city he made the acquaintance of Shilaber, Ben Perley Poore, Halpine and others, and tried his hand as a 'sketcher' for a volume edited by Mrs. Partington. His early effusions bore the signature of 'Chub.' From the Hub he emigrated to the West. At Toledo, Ohio, he worked as a 'type' and later as a 'local' on a Toledo newspaper. Then he went to Cleveland, where as city editor of the Plain Dealer he

began the peculiar vein from which still later he worked so successfully. The sobriquet 'Artemus Ward' was not taken from the Revolutionary general. It was suggested by an actual personality. In adjoining town to Cleveland there was a snake-chamber who called himself Artemus Ward, an ignorant willing or half-wit, the laughing stock of the countryside. Browne's first communication over the signature of Artemus Ward purported to emanate from this person, and it succeeded so well that he kept it up. He widened the conception as he progressed. It was not long before his sketches began to be copied and he became a newspaper favorite. He remained in Cleveland from 1857 to 1859, when he was called to New York to take the editorship of a venture called Vanity Fair. This died soon after. But he did not die with it. A year later, in the fall of 1861, he made his appearance as a lecturer at New London, and met with enc. age. ment. Then he set out on tour; returned to the metropolis, hired a hall and opened with 'the show.' Thence onward all went well."

A FRENCH PHRASE BOOK

The book of easy French for soldiers has made way for one designed to meet the needs of tourists. The "French-English Practical Phrase Book," by Eugene F. Maloulier, will make traveling in France and trans- action of business there much easier for the man or woman who has some knowledge of French pronunciation. Those who have no knowledge of French may turn to the book and point out to any Frenchman his desires on most any ordinary subject.

"French-English Practical Phrase Book," by Eugene F. Maloulier: New York, Brentano's, \$1.25.

## ZANE GREY

Latest Western Story by Popular Writer is "The Man of the Forest," Tale of Adventure, Daring and Love.

Zane Grey's list of western novels is becoming an imposing one. Indicative of the interest displayed by the readers of the country for that which is western is the fact that in the list there are several books that have reached the distinction of best sellers.

There is a reason for Grey's popularity no one who has read "Wildfire," "The Border Legion," "The Riders of the Purple Sage," and any of the others will deny. There is in each of the stories a knowledge and a love of the outdoors, rugged adventure in pleasing contrast to the Fifth Avenue literature that fills so many of the magazines, and honest, likeable people.

He is a refuge from the ballroom flirtations and money-chasing heroes of the frenzied fiction that requires evening clothes and golf costumes and that is concerned with the problems of society birds and fond mammas.

"The Man of the Forest," in this sense, is a vacation in the forest and one that may be taken after dinner, in the easy chair. It is a story of a woodsman who was the means of saving a girl from a villain—and we have regular villains in Zane Grey—and of how he kept the girl and her sister hidden away in his mountain home until it was safe for them to go to their uncle. Then there is the realization that the forest that used to be all-in-all for Milt Dale somehow lost its appeal.

With the girl gone the magic disappeared and loneliness took the place of the shadows that once meant happiness. Adventure, danger, daring, and great joy, village country and light-hearted enjoyment of nature, are all in these pages.

"The Man of the Forest," by Zane Grey: New York, Harper & Brothers, \$1.90.

"Catty Atkins" Good Boys' Book

Clarence Badington Kelland has a way with boys. The characters in his books are not so fussy over matters of grammar and deportment as to estrange the young reader from the characters but they are of an upright admirable sort that cannot fail to impress those worthy motives we like so well to have emphasized by others. There are full of good-natured acts of mischief and, except for the exaggerated qualities of the heroes, are for the most part all boy.

Catty Atkins made over his father, turned him from a tramp into a man who wore a high hat and went to church. Incidentally he made over himself and won a noble fight for respectability. There are many incidents of good humor in the book, and the boy will like it, and more than an older boy will read it through. Ninety-nine out of a hundred boys will like it. The other one is studying calculus.

"Catty Atkins," by Clarence Badington Kelland: New York: Harper & Brothers, \$1.50.

FORTY YEARS' WORK

The Yale University Press has just published the "Collected Poems of Robert Underwood Johnson, being his complete work in verse from 1881, when his first poem appeared, to 1919, and comprising the several volumes heretofore issued: "The Winter Hour," "Songs of Liberty," "Saint-Gaudens," "Poems of War," and "Other Poems about Italy," all of which are out of print, with the exception of the last. Mr. Johnson's new book, in addition to these volumes, contains a large amount of hitherto uncollected verse.

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## IRVIN COBB

"From Place to Place" Is Wife of Plainsman, Scout and Indian Fighter Tells Story of His Adventurous Career

It is altogether probable that no man ever lived in the United States who has inspired in the desire of youth the spirit of emulation that has been inspired by Buffalo Bill. Doubtless if there is a statistician sharp who would venture to estimate the number of men who, in years today who have reasonably fresh in their recollection the wonderful ambitions for the future that were generated by some phase or other of the history of this man whose life from youth virtually until his death was one of extraordinary adventure.

So far all that has been published about Buffalo Bill has had about it the glamour enhanced by the one who wrote to that purpose, in great part at least, and the result has been that the fact has been lost sight of that the man had a domestic side, and that life for him did not consist entirely in killing Indians either scalped or viciously, as an actor in the drama of the circus. Now, there has come before the public as a biographer Mrs. Louisa F. Cobb, widow of the Buffalo Bill, who has written of his life as she has seen it or has known it through the relationship that existed between them.

"Memories of Buffalo Bill," the book is called, but really it might almost be termed a history of the West, for the man was so identified with the progress of his day that virtually everything he did in his youth and along toward middle age was, in its way, a part of the history of the country. Also, there are details of Cobb's career as a showman with his Wild West Show, amusing experiences for great part, and similar experiences that enlivened his stage career.

Mrs. Cobb writes well and as she shared in person some of the wild experiences of her husband, she writes with the freedom of one well supplied with facts. The book is written in collaboration with Court- ney Ryley Cooper.

Mrs. Cobb, when she met the man who became her husband, was Miss Louisa Frederic, just home from a convent. This meeting was in May, 1865, and in Old Frenchtown, St. Louis. Cobb, then a private in the United States army, was brought to her home by her cousin, and before they had been introduced, she slapped his face. She believed that she was slapping her cousin, who frequently made her the butt of his jokes, and she did slap at him without realizing it.

Cobb was the man who felt her hand. This began the acquaintance that resulted in their marriage not quite a year later.

From what Cobb told Louisa Frederic of his early life one learns through her that he killed his first Indian when he was eleven years old and that fighting had made a great part of his life. His father was stabbed nearly to death at the

that Urbina himself met death by order of Villa, the hero of the well known Matador bands, the murderer of Benson and Bauch. It is doubtful whether Villa ever fired a shot, but he was killed since such things were everyday matters in that time.

"Now an attempt is being made to find the secret in question with the object of obtaining more about the exact site of the execution and the place where the victim was buried."

All of which not only agrees with the New York paper's story above mentioned, but follows it so closely as to suggest a paraphrase. The important differences are that it was a sergeant of Villa's army, not a sergeant, to whom Mr. Reed had listened, and that La Revista's version gives an approximate date for the execution or murder, a detail the Reed interview lacked.

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## W.B. WILSON

Secretary of Labor Is Subject of Interpretative and Speculative Book by Roger Babson.

Roger W. Babson, whose name is usually associated with statistics and with books concerning the future of investments, is the author of a life of W. B. Wilson, the first secretary of labor in the United States. It is such a life as Babson would expect to write, and that means it is no ordinary accounting of the schoolboy pranks and mainly accomplishments of his hero.

Babson has used the facts in the life of Wilson as a background upon which to build a structure of analysis and interpretation of the problems and processes that have been developed under the labor secretary. He discusses collective bargaining, arbitration, and conciliation and at times the book becomes wholly Babson.

As for the story it is one of a little boy, taken from school at the age of eight and sent to the mines. Later he was a common laborer, iron miner, locomotive fireman, lumberjack, log driver, farmer, and union carpenter. For Secretary Wilson has been all of these.

It is not to be expected that Babson could write any book without his keen speculative mind being evident. In this volume he would show the nature of labor unionism and conciliation in industry; the machinery, policy, and organization of the Department of Labor; and the secret of Secretary Wilson's success in mediating between labor and employers.

It is a story of a cabinet member who is comparatively unknown but one whose life has been packed with its events.

One will find a record here of events, not generally known, and the life of a man whose rise from poverty to the United States cabinet is an exemplification of the democracy that is our country.

"W. B. Wilson," by Roger Babson: New York, Brentano's, \$2.50.

Overland Monthly

The February number of Overland Monthly is devoted, almost in its entirety, to the works of Joseph Miller and to articles descriptive and relating to the great Western poet. Many illustrations showing, The Light, Miller, Mrs. Miller, and Juanita, are included. Among those who have contributed to the number are: Henry Allen Bland, John J. W. W. Morris, George Thorne James, David S. Jordan, Harry Wagner, Herbert Bassford, Juanita Miller and Mrs. Abby Miller.

Sunset

Herbert Hoover writes in "China Welfare" in Sunset for February. There is also an article by Hiram Johnson on "What of the Nation?" For the rest there are no candidates, avowed or possible, in the list of contributors. Captain T. T. O. Gregory tells most interesting how Western rail Europe's oldest empire, and here, again, one finds Mr. Hoover. There is a story packed full of doubtless criticism of the A. M. C. A. and other war activities, and developments, called "Say, Who Won the War?" The number is well supplied with fiction and verse and material to keep the editor busy for months, reading letters of protest and commendation.

CAPTAIN RECOILY

Captain Recoily, author of the book "Foch: the Winner of the War," (Charles Scribner's Sons) has frequently written under the name of Captain X. This book of his reflects his knowledge gained from a long and close contact with the great general and is an extraordinarily vivid presentation of Foch's character and leadership.

GILBERT CANNAN'S LECTURES

In one of the lectures Gilbert Cannan tells the story of the first time Mrs. Sidney Webb and Mr. Sidney Webb (his order was of naming them) visited Mr. H. G. Wells in his home. Mr. Sidney Webb is short, round, distinctly Hobbler. Mrs. Webb is tall, beautiful, and aristocratic. As the two figures emerged from the London fog, Mr. Wells, who had been looking for them, before he advanced to meet them, exclaimed in his high, squeaky voice, "Don Quixote and Sancho Panza!"

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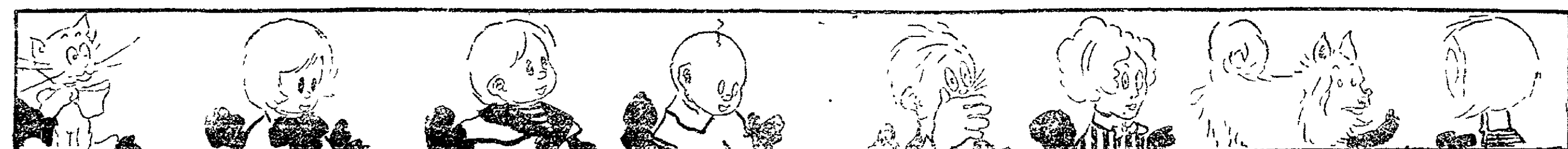
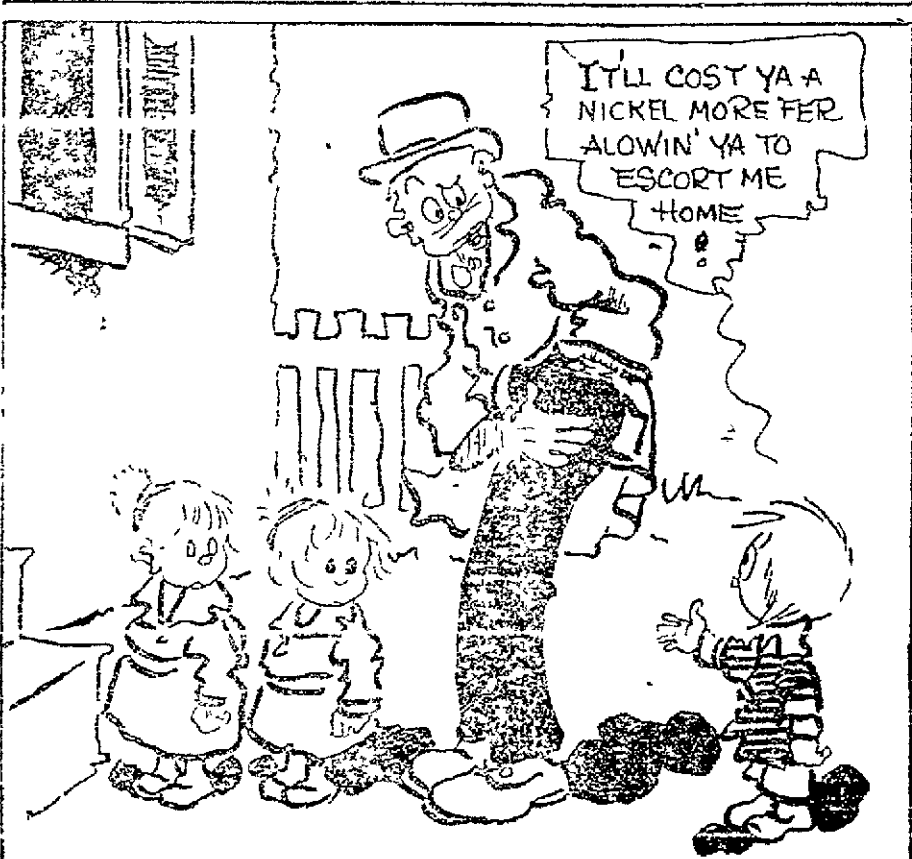
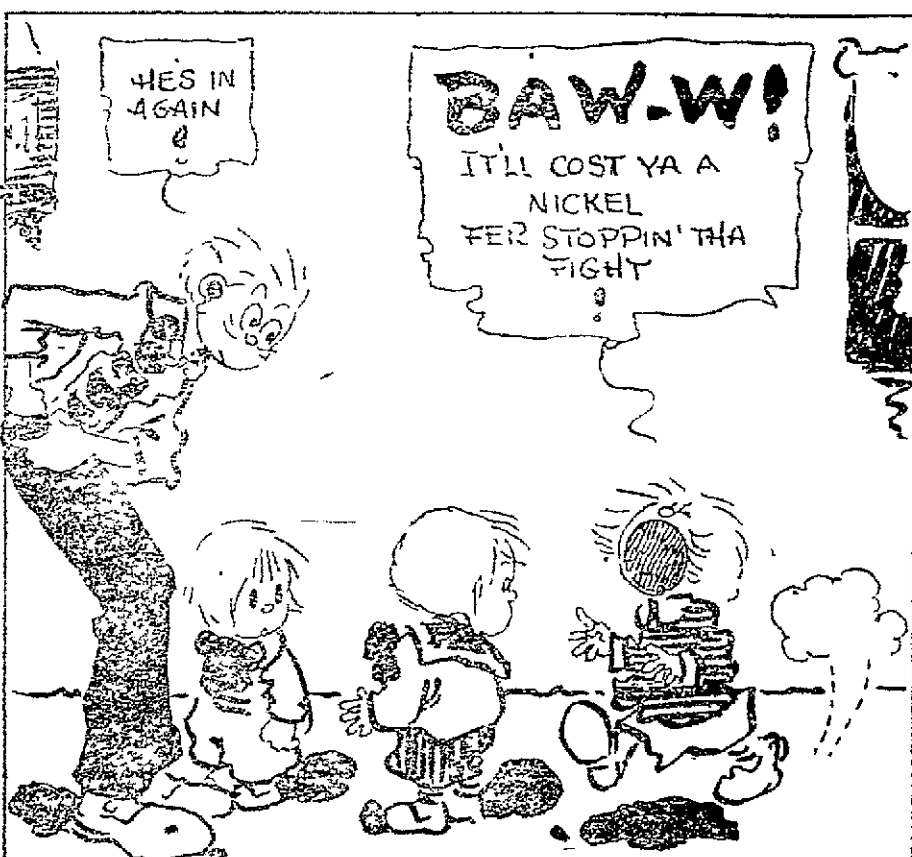
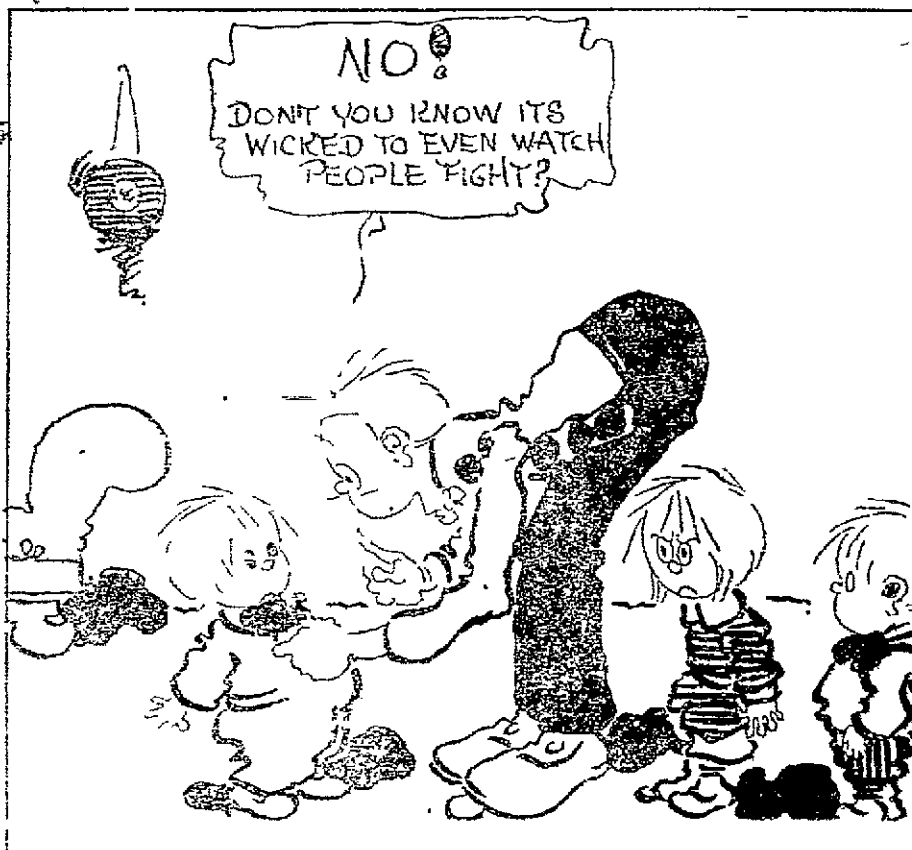
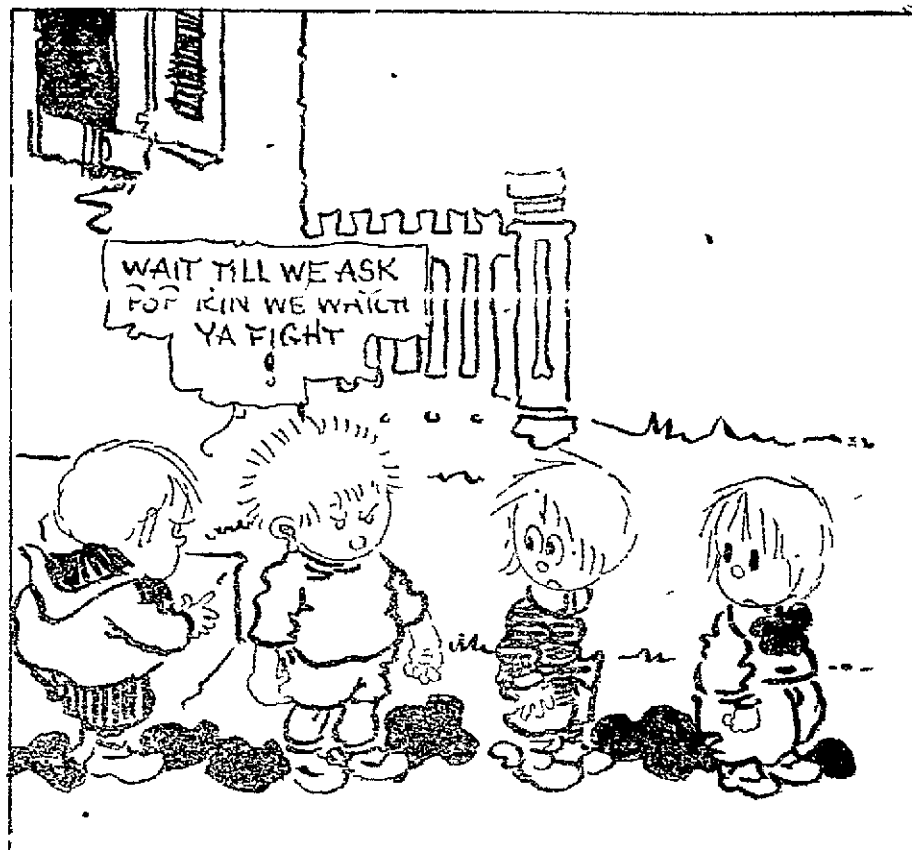
"From Place to Place" Is Wife of Plainsman, Scout and Indian Fighter Tells Story of His Adventurous Career

It is altogether probable that no man ever lived in the United States who has inspired in the desire of youth the spirit of emulation that has been inspired by Buffalo Bill. Doubtless if there is a statistician sharp who would venture to estimate the number of men who, in years today who have reasonably fresh in their recollection the wonderful ambitions for the future that were generated by some phase or other of the history of this man whose life from youth virtually until his death was one of extraordinary adventure.

So far all that has been published about Buffalo Bill has had about it the glamour enhanced by the one who wrote to that purpose, in great part at least, and the result has been that the fact has been lost sight of that the man had a domestic side, and that life for him did not consist entirely in killing Indians either scalped or viciously, as an actor in the drama of the circus. Now, there has come before the public as a biographer Mrs. Louisa F. Cobb, widow of the Buffalo Bill, who has written of his life as she has seen it or has known it through the relationship that existed between them.

"Memories of Buffalo Bill," the book is called, but really it might almost be termed a history of the West, for the man was so identified with the progress of his day that virtually everything he did in his youth and along toward middle age was, in its way, a part of the history of the country. Also, there are details of Cobb's career as a showman with his Wild West Show, amusing experiences for great part, and similar experiences that enlivened his stage career.









# Uncle Wiggily's Adventures

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WHEN THE BAD PIP, SKEE AND FOX CHASED UNCLE WIGGILY THE BUNNY THOUGHT SURELY HE WOULD BE CAUGHT. BUT THE SNOW FORT SAVED HIM.

Text by HOWARD R. GARIS  
Author of the Famous UNCLE WIGGILY BEDTIME STORIES  
Pictured by LANG CAMPBELL



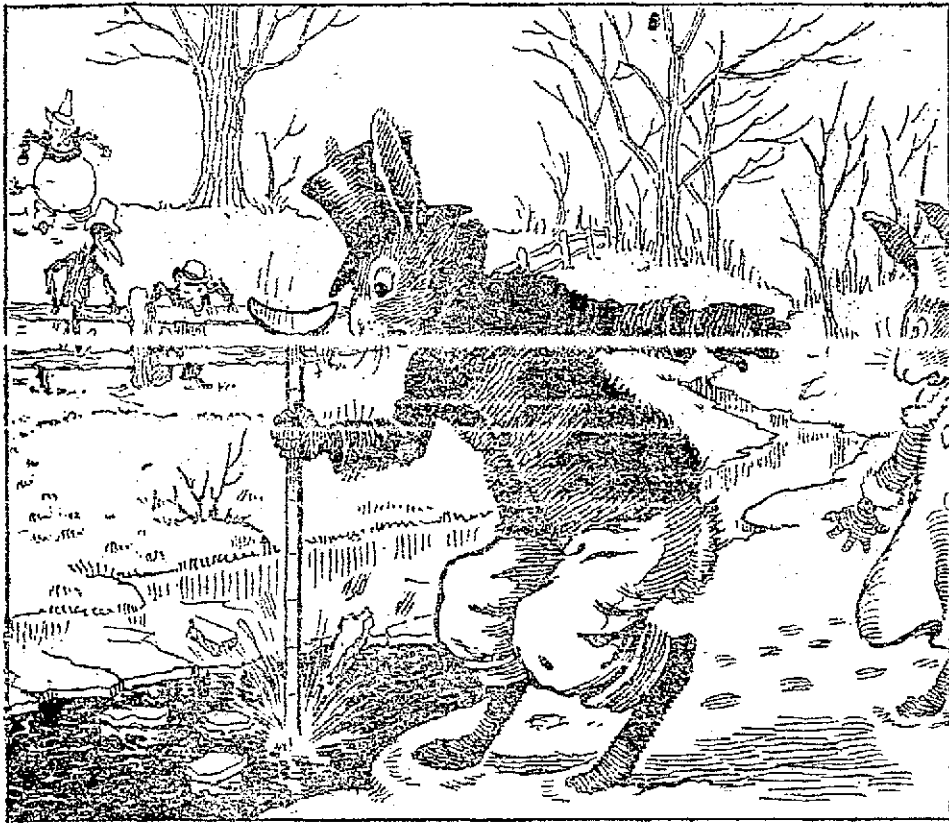
Uncle Wiggily Longears, the bunny rabbit gentleman, was out walking in the snow-covered fields one day, when he met Sammie and Susie Littletail, the two rabbit children, and Johnnie and Billie Bushytail, the two squirrel brothers. "Where are you going, Uncle Wiggily?" asked Susie. "Oh, just to look for an adventure," replied Mr. Longears. "Don't you want to come?" They started, Uncle Wiggily holding Susie's paw, the boys throwing snowballs. "I'd like to see the bad Pipsisewah or Skeezicks now!" said Billie.



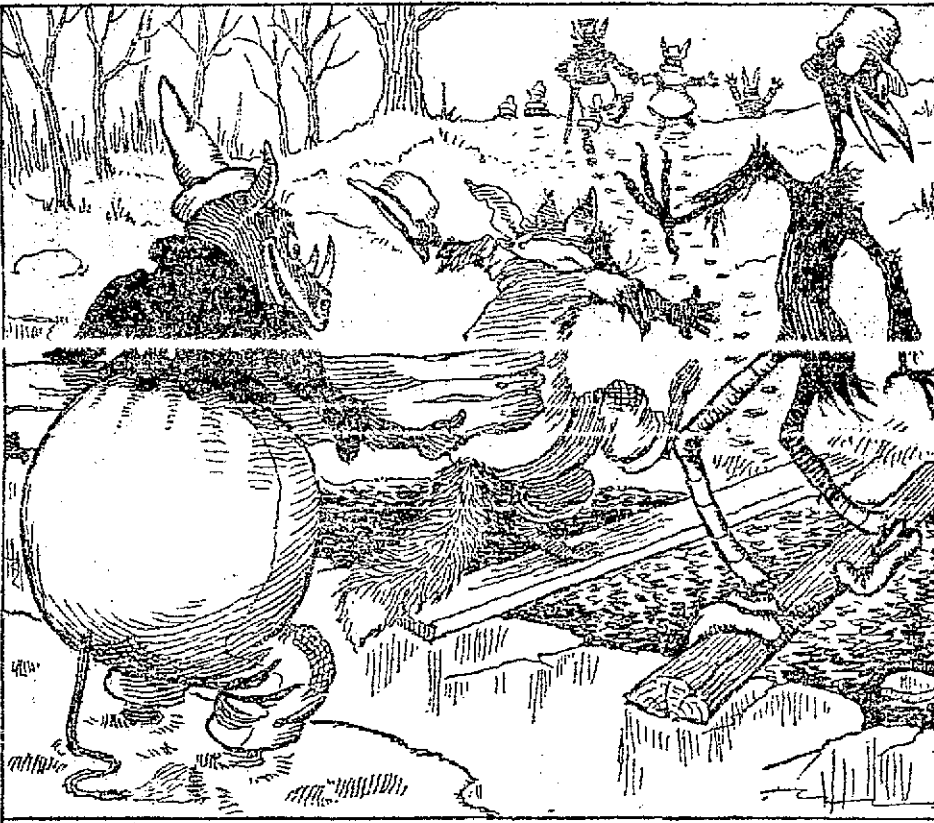
"Why do you want to see the Pipsisewah or Skeezicks, Billie?" asked Johnnie, the other squirrel boy. "Oh, so I could throw snowballs at 'em!" answered Billie, and pay them back for trying to get Uncle Wiggily's souse." The bunny rabbit made some holes in the snow with his red, white and blue-striped rheumatism crutch, and then, all of a sudden, Susie cried: "Well, you have you wish, Billie Bushytail! Look, there's the Skeezicks now, and the Pipsisewah and bad fox are with him! Oh! Oh! What shall we do?"



When Uncle Wiggily saw the bad Pipsisewah, the Skeezicks and the fuzzy fox, the rabbit gentleman said: "Come on! We must run as fast as we can to get away from these creatures! And Uncle Wiggily ran, pulling Susie along by her paw. Johnnie and Billie scampered along. "Take your white handkerchief off that stick, Sammie!" called Billie to the rabbit boy. "Else they'll think we have surrendered, and we haven't—we're going to fight 'em! Take down the white flag!"



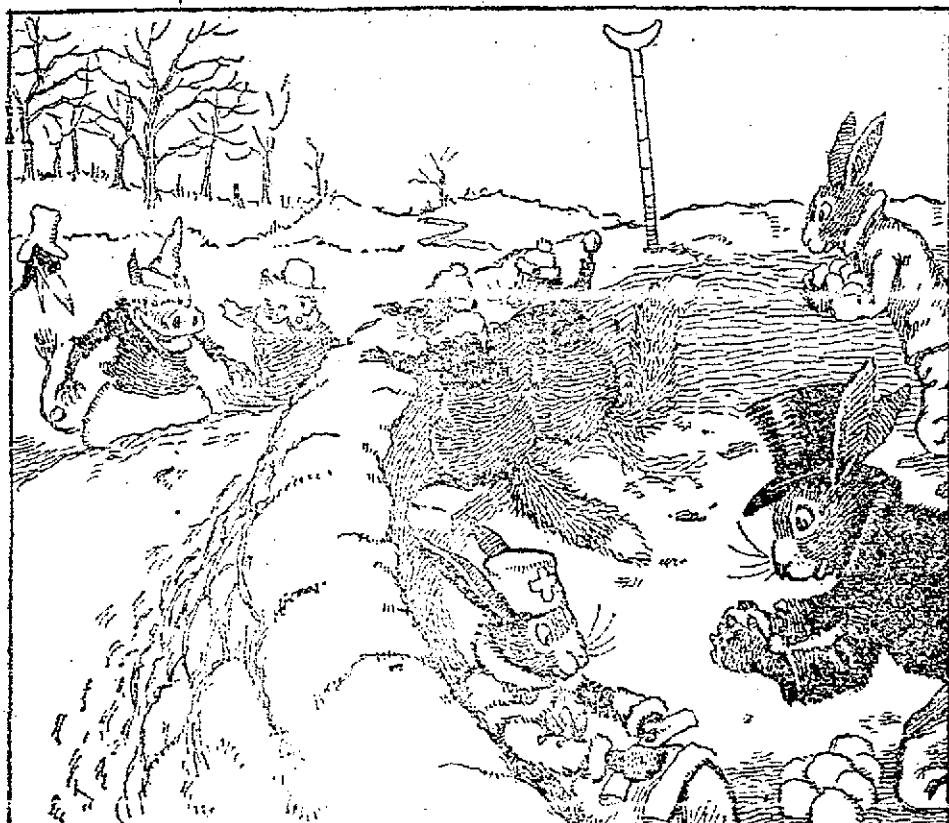
"Run along, children, run along!" cried Uncle Wiggily. Sammie and Susie and Johnnie and Billie ran over the hard, cold water of a frozen brook. "What are you going to do, Uncle Wiggily?" asked Susie, when the little rabbit girl was safe on the other side of the brook. "I'm going to make a hole in the ice so the Pip, the Skee and the fox can't cross and get us, I hope." With his crutch he made a hole in the ice. But the Pip, Skee and fox had not given up the chase. On they came, faster and faster.



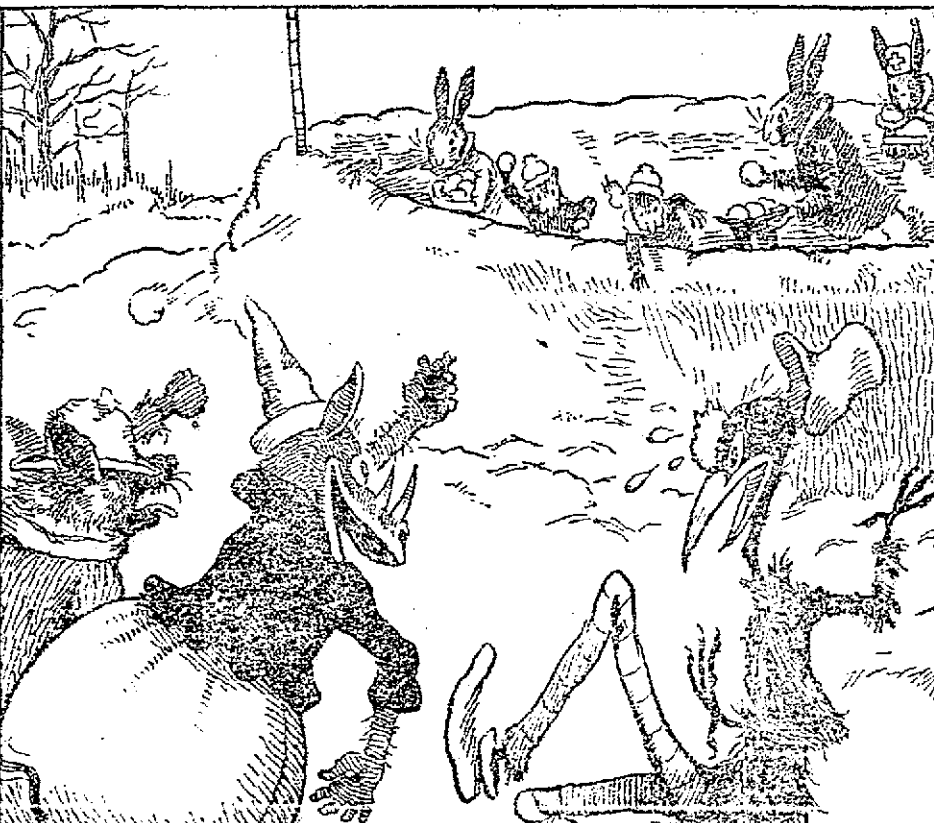
After Uncle Wiggily had chopped a hole in the ice with his crutch, he ran on with the animal children. But Susie, looking back, cried: "Oh, Uncle Wiggily! See what they're doing!" And, surely enough, the bad chaps had pulled some boards off a fence, and making a bridge of them, they crossed the hole in the ice and still kept on after Uncle Wiggily and the animal children. "We must have our souse to-day," said the Pip; also the Skee, and the funny fox joined in the chorus.



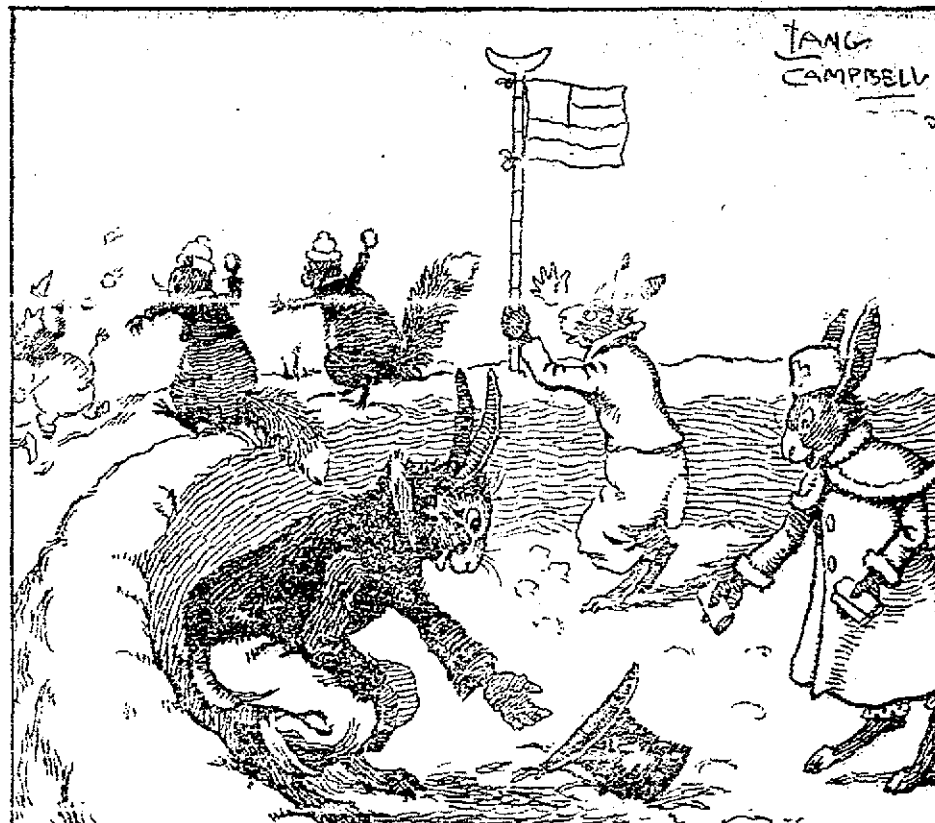
"Oh, Uncle Wiggily!" cried Susie, after she had run on a little farther, after the Pip, Skee and fox had crossed the ice on the fence boards. "Oh, Uncle Wiggily, I can't go another step!" "I'll carry you!" said the brave rabbit gentleman. "We won't leave you behind, Susie, for the bad Pipsisewah!" Susie cuddled down in Uncle Wiggily's warm, fur coat. Billie threw a snowball at the bad chaps. All of a sudden Sammie cried: "Oh, if we can reach the old snow fort we made last week, maybe we will be saved!"



Running fast, Uncle Wiggily and his little animal friends reached the old snow fort before the Pip, Skee and fox could catch them. But the bad chaps still came on. "Quick, now!" cried Uncle Wiggily, "we must get ready to snowball the bad chaps!" Susie made herself a little red cross from a piece of Johnnie's red neckerchief, and Sammie gave his sister his white handkerchief to tear up into bandages in case any of them should be hurt in the battle soon to take place. "We want souse!" howled the Pip.



"Come on now!" cried the Pip to the Skee and fox. "We must charge on them in the fort! We must capture Uncle Wiggily! The Skee and fox ran up the hill with the Pip. "Ouch! Wouch!" cried the Skee. "Some one hit me in the eye with a snowball!" Uncle Wiggily had made a lot of snowballs for the animal boys to throw at the enemy. "Bang away! Bang away!" cried brave Uncle Wiggily. "Hurray! Hurray! Hurray!" shouted the boys, while Red Cross Nurse Susie was all ready with rolls of bandages.



The boys throw so many hard snowballs over the wall of the fort at the Pip, Skee and fox, that the bad animals were glad enough to run away. "Oh, wow! Come on out of this!" howled the Pip to the Skee, and down the hill they ran. "Hoist the flag! We've won the fight!" cried Sammie. He made a banner from red and blue pieces of Billie's and Johnnie's neckerchiefs and pieces of white from his own handkerchief. A hole was in Uncle Wiggily's hat, but Susie bandaged it up. The snow fort saved Uncle Wiggily.

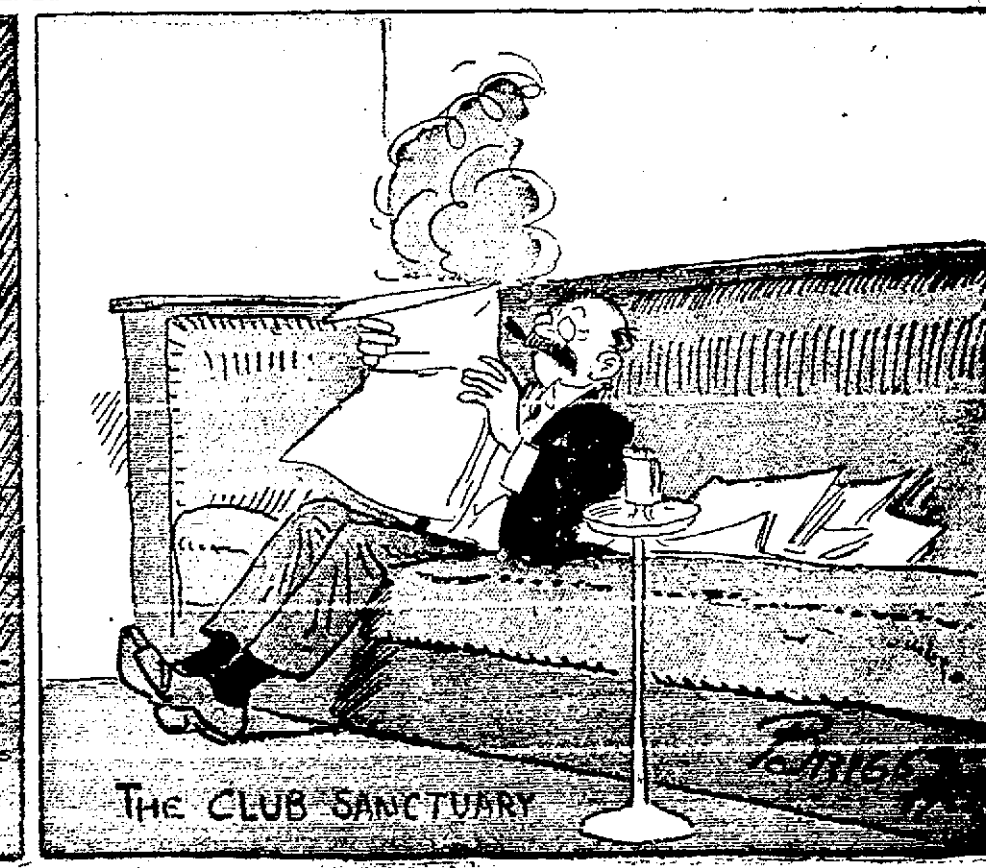
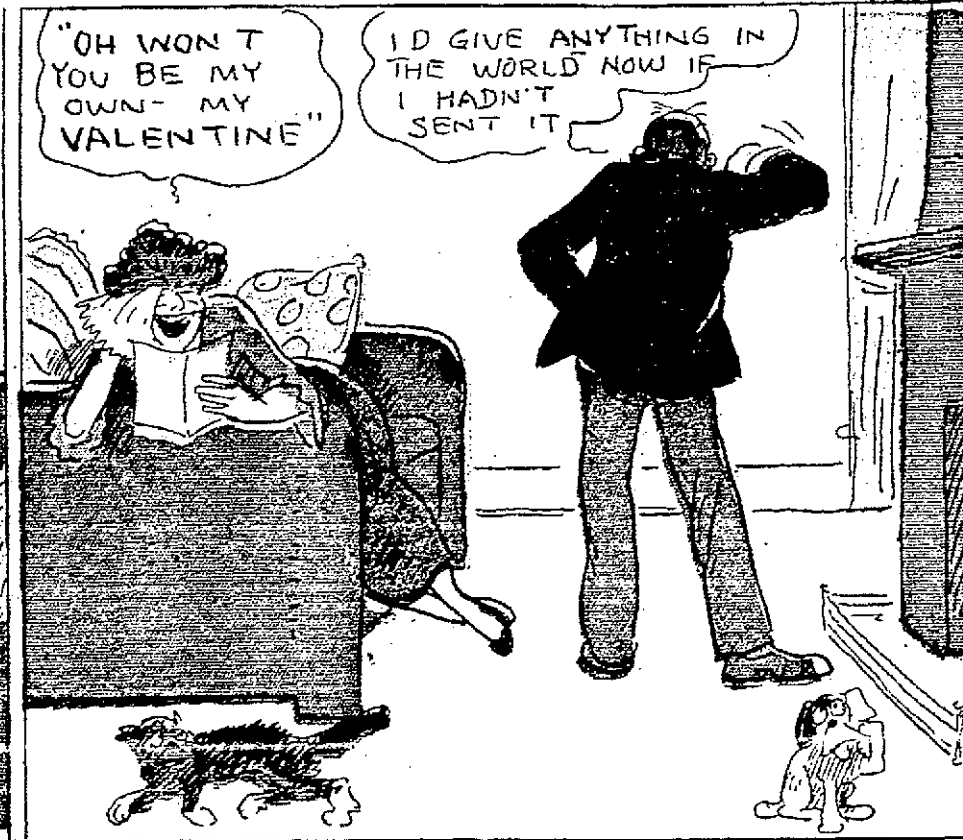
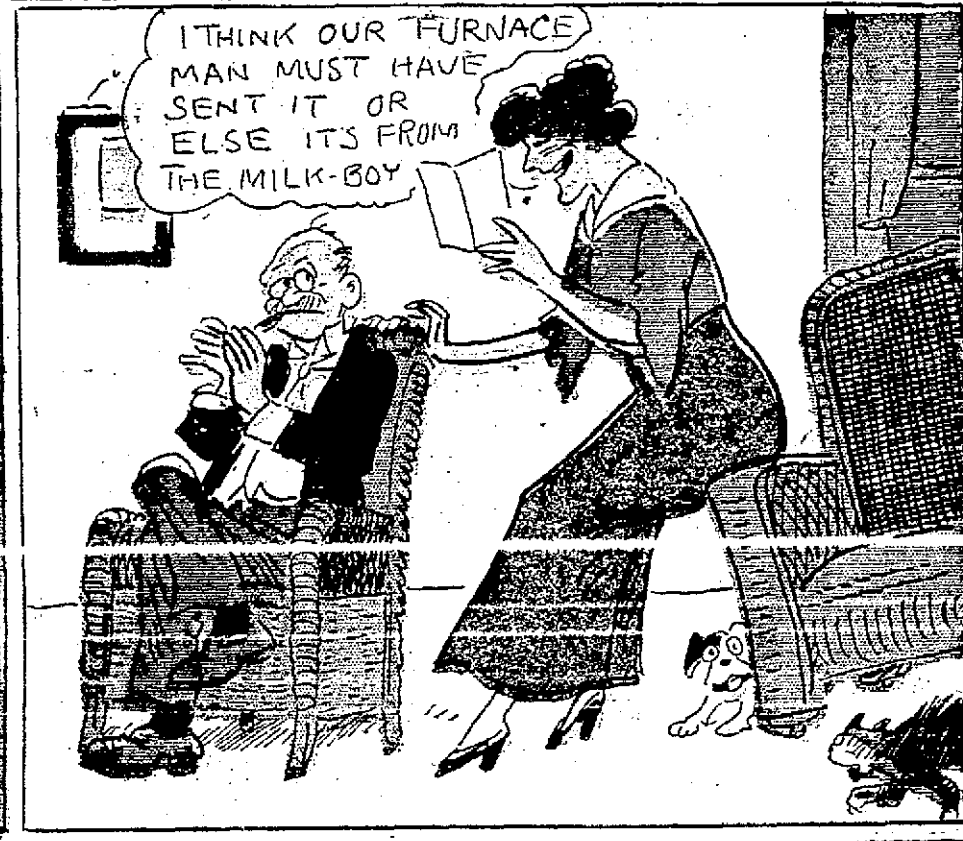
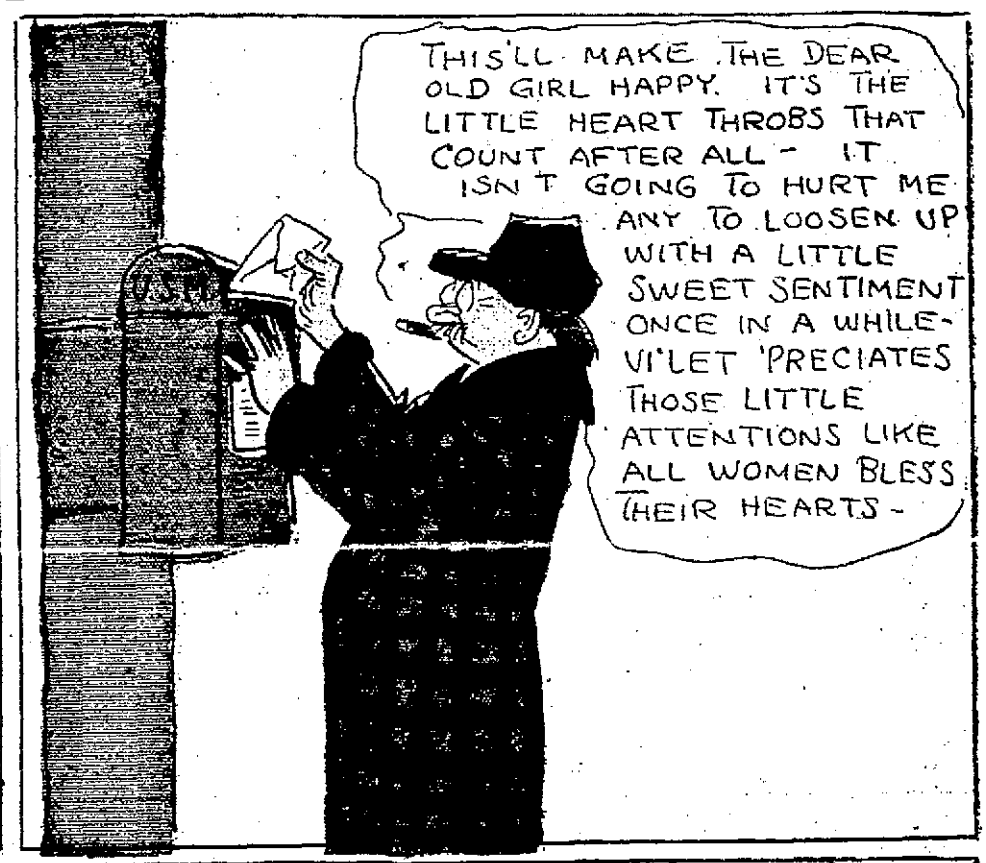
And if the Gold Fish doesn't bite a lot of holes in the lace curtain, and make it look like a slice of Swiss cheese, the next pictures and story will be about

UNCLE WIGGILY AND THE SNOW PUDDING.





# Mr. and Mrs.- By Briggs





## HOOVER AND WILSON TWO DEMOCRATIC DARKHORSES

McAdoo, Palmer and Bryan May Be Left Waiting While President Grabs Big Plum; Hoover Not Likely Choice

Names Most Prominent in the Week's Discussion, Wood, Lowden and Harding; Gen. Wood Loses Some Strength

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Study of dispatches to the Star from its political correspondents in all parts of the country to be published tomorrow leads irresistibly to two major conclusions. One is that the presidential boom of Herbert Hoover is not making any such headway among Republicans as was formerly believed that he will be seriously considered at Chicago as the nominee of that party unless there should develop a deadlock that no other aspirant seems able to break. The second is that among Democrats the Hoover boom is laboring under a double handicap. It suffers along with all other Democratic candidacies because of the lack of knowledge of President Wilson's wishes and intentions, and the Hoover movement is held back by the further obstacle of his own silence.

That there is Hoover sentiment among the rank and file of Republican voters in many parts of the country is undeniable, but it lacks organization and does not at this time give promise of making its weight felt in the selection of delegates to the national convention.

**HOOVER SENTIMENT NOT ACTIVE IN G. O. P.**

The Republican party leaders appear to have the situation much better in hand than is the case in the opposition party, and there is an absence of any considerable Hoover sentiment among active Republican workers. Another thing which operates to hold back growth of a Republican Hoover movement is the fact that the number and activity of Republican aspirants already has grown so exciting that there is afforded ample outlet for the partisanship of voters and they are not tempted into strange political ways in search of favor.

More and more it is coming to appear that if Hoover is to be the nominee of either party, it is at San Francisco the tender will be made. As a rule active Democratic party workers do not seem to take any more kindly to the Hoover notion than do their Republican brethren. But the situation in the Democratic ranks is much more favorable to the development of Hoover sentiment.

**DEMOCRATIC LEADERS NOT OPPOSED TO HOOVER.**

Nor is it true that active Democratic workers everywhere are against Hoover. In Wyoming during the week, fifty leading Democrats met to select a state chairman and to attend to other party matters. There was a banquet at which the subject was made up to presidential candidates. With one voice, says a despatch from Cheyenne, those around the table shouted "Hoover!"

Now Wyoming is a state which is being developed into a conspicuous part at San Francisco, and this may be a straw to show which way the wind is beginning to set. It seems to be born spontaneity and the mode, which may be accounted for by the lack of organization back of it. It forces ahead in one state while in a nearby state without any apparent dissimilarity in conditions, it will be at an actual or actual slipping back. During the week it burst forth in West Virginia in something of a flame, prominent Democratic politicians and newspapers are gaining a new lease of life, favorable to Hoover candidacy. Across the border in Kentucky, according to a despatch from Louisville, there was a decided lull in Hoover talk, attributed to the cautious silence of the former food administrator.

Among Kentucky Democrats, Governor Cox of Ohio is said to have made substantial progress, and the Palmer boom is expected to be given impetus when the attorney general addresses the legislature February 25.

**McADOO, BRYAN AND HOOVER MEAN AND HOOVER MEAN.**

There was a state-wide conference of Democratic leaders in Wisconsin during the week, and agreement was general that the delegation to San Francisco should be instructed to hold a Milwaukee despatch, was divided among McAdoo, Bryan and Hoover.

A somewhat new note comes from Iowa. The Democratic state organization, according to the Star's Des Moines correspondent, is "pro Wilson in the extreme and favors sending instructed delegation to San Francisco." In view of the fact that the party will whatever it may be.

In Georgia there is reported complete lack of crystallization of Democratic sentiment, with strong disposition among party leaders to hold out until the candidates have had a chance to show their pack. Formal entry of the Democratic running, with Senator Pomeroy, long regarded as a possibility, has precipitated a situation which is worrying Democratic leaders of the Buckeye State. They fear a contest between Cox and Pomeroy, followers which may weaken Ohio's influence in the national convention, and they are anxious to have the state's preference determined at an early date. Governor Cox is on record as favoring a preference for Pomeroy, and it is expected that his position clear in the near future.

Contest for the Republican nomination

## Aerial Race Crossing Ocean Twice Soon Will Be Started From U. S.

(By United Press.)  
NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—An aerial race, skirting the Atlantic and crossing the ocean twice, will be run soon, Aero clubs of eighteen nations co-operating, according to a statement today by the Aero Club of America. Prizes are expected to exceed \$100,000.

The contestants will start from either New York or Atlantic City, proceeding by flights to the main cities on the Atlantic seaboard, south across the Caribbean Sea to Pernambuco, Brazil, thence to Dakar on the west coast of Africa, north to the British Isles and Scandinavian cities, and back to the starting point by way of Ireland, St. Johns, N. F., Halifax, N. S., Portland, Maine and Boston.

The race will be for both pilots and passengers. Airplanes and lighter-than-air craft may be entered.

## "Middle Class Union" To Protect Common Folk in Price Crush is Organized

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—(By Universal Service.)  
Joseph Wolff, lawyer; Nathan Friedman, silk dealer; Herman D. Mendelsohn, merchant, and Gideon F. Hall, machinist.

"Any person who considers himself a member of the 'middle class' can become a member," said Wolff today. "By 'middle class' we mean that part of the intelligent, unorganized individuals who are neither labor unionists nor capitalists."

This body of people is the most powerful in the United States. Its immense power is now dormant and it lacks the force of concerted action. Until it is organized, its existence it will be routed out."

## GIRLS DISAPPEAR IN STRANGE AUTO AFTER PACKING UP

ALAMEDA, Feb. 7.—Two young girls late this evening packed their suitcases and climbed into a stranger's automobile which pulled up within a block of the home of Mrs. Margaret Thort, 303 Pacific avenue, and waited for the girls, according to the mother. As a result a general alarm has been sent out to every police station between here and Los Angeles by the Alameda police.

The girls are Mildred Thort, aged 12, and Jennette Thompson, aged 16. The former is the daughter of Mrs. Margaret Thort, near whose home the automobile which carried away her daughter stopped, and the latter is the daughter of C. J. Thompson, 1312 Ninth street.

Both girls packed their suitcases early this afternoon, according to Mrs. Thort, who did not suspect that they were preparing to run away. Shortly after dark they missed the girls and went to look for them. A neighbor told the mother that she had seen a strange machine drive up at the next corner and that a pennant at the windshield was marked "L. A." indicating the machine was from Los Angeles.

She said a few minutes later she saw the two girls leave the house quietly and to the machine. A man got out and helped them in, then the machine drove down Pacific avenue.

## MRS. WILSON IS FREED; ABSOLVED OF ACCUSATIONS

MARYSVILLE, Feb. 7.—It was a double acquittal that the jury in the murder trial of Mrs. Gertrude Wilson for the killing of Charles Brown, Yuba county stockman, presented today to the defendant. Not only did they free her of blame for Brown's death, but they absolved her of the same time of the other accusations that have been cast against her. The verdict of not guilty of murder they announced amidst a breathless stillness in court. The moral effect of the verdict of them cleared with this subsequent word to her husband:

"We found that your wife was not guilty of murder, but we found her guilty of not guilty of the other things that were charged against her."

**MURDER CASE ON CALENDAR FOR TUESDAY**

The case of Mrs. Wilson's brother, Frank A. McCormick, jointly charged with her with Brown's murder, is on the calendar for Tuesday. Whether it will be called or not is still problematical. This was District Attorney Maxwell's statement today.

"I considered the Wilson case the hardest we had to deal with. It costs a lot of money for a trial like this. I don't know what I will do with the McCormick case. I shall have to consult with the other attorneys for the State."

Anticipating a dismissal of the charges against McCormick, Attorney Crofton immediately sought to bail McCormick out, but Judge E. P. McDaniell refused.

As the jurors left the room Mrs. Wilson stood by the jury box and bowed to each one.

For perhaps half an hour Mrs. Wilson remained in the courtroom. Then she and her husband and child went to the county jail to convey the good news to Frank McCormick. There Mrs. McCormick flung herself into her husband's arms and McCormick seemed in "chill" emotion.

"How did you reach a verdict so soon?" members of the jury were asked.

**MEMBERS OF JURY ALL OF ONE MIND**

"All," was the reply, "as soon as we got in the room, Hellman asked what we thought and we all said not guilty. Some of the boys wanted to scribble their names on the verdict, but I said a ballot and it was all not guilty."

C. H. Kirkpatrick, jurymen, who marked the vote down, presented the ballot later to Fred Wilson.

"I want to say," said the husband of Mrs. Wilson, this afternoon, "that we consider the verdict returned, not only as an acquittal on the charge of murder, but as a vindication of Mrs. Wilson's honor and a refutation of all the calumny and slander that have been directed toward her."

This was the first time a woman was ever tried for murder in this county and the several which has attended the trial has been acute at every stage. But never was so acute, never so dramatic, as when, within a few minutes after leaving court the jury foreman, Edward Hellman, rapped upon the court room door and asked readmission.

The spectators were still leaving the court chambers. They returned to their seats. Frank McCormick, brother of Mrs. Wilson, jointly charged with her with Brown's murder, burst into tears.

**TWO SMALL BOYS RAN OFF WITH MOTHER.**

Mrs. Wilson came back into court with Matron Styles. She sat down. Her husband, Fred Wilson, himself shaking like an aspen, put his arms

## MOTHER AND GIRL FINALLY REALIZE OLD DEATH FEAR

George Williams Shoots Wife and His Stepdaughter, Rose Alseiz, Down on Street As They Are Stepping Out Car

Victims Slain in Presence of Passing Crowd As They Return After Seeing About Warrant for Threat to Kill

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—For days the grim terror of death has haunted Mrs. Emily Williams of 2885 Seventeenth street and her daughter, Miss Rose Alseiz, motion picture actress. Tonight the terror came real. George Williams met the pair as they alighted from a car, calmly shot first one and then the other to death and sat down on the curb a few feet from his crime to await the arrival of the police.

Williams is an employee of the American Building Maintenance company. He resides at 275 Turk street. He made no effort to turn his weapon upon himself.

His wife he shot once, the bullet penetrating her heart, causing immediate death. Miss Alseiz was shot twice. One bullet shattered her temple and embedded itself in her brain. The other went through her left breast.

The tragedy occurred on Turk street near Hyde. Hundreds of persons were passing the place every few moments. For minutes before the police arrived the victims of the tragedy lay dead between the curb and where they had alighted from the street car.

**FEARED WILLIAMS' THREAT TO KILL**

Mrs. Williams and her daughter were returning from the Hall of Justice where they had gone to swear out a warrant charging Williams with a threat to kill.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams were married a year ago. They separated a short time ago. Today the mother and daughter went to consult an attorney in view of filing suit against Williams for divorce. Upon the attorney's advice they first sought the warrant in front of the time after they had returned to their home at 2885 Seventeenth street. Williams called the wife on the telephone.

"Will you and Rose come over?" he said. "I have something very important I want to discuss with both of you."

The women were getting off the street car in front of the other apartment on Turk street when Williams ran up and struck at his wife. The daughter grappled with him in an effort to save her mother.

**HILLMAN CHIEF AFTER SCUFFLE**

"I'll kill you both," said Williams, whereupon he made good his threat.

Both women fell face down ward on the pavement, and for half an hour traffic over Turk street was stopped by awaiting the removal of the bodies.

When the police arrived Williams was sitting on the ground a short distance from the scene of the shooting. He had no weapon and no means of escape. He seemed in a dazed condition, and could not explain his actions to the police.

Henry Franklin, late this afternoon, told Franklin of his intentions. Franklin took the gun away from him. He later secured another gun.

## Spiker War Baby and Principals in Case

First pictures to reach Oakland showing (above) Miss Emily Knowles, young English girl, her baby and Guy Spiker, who expects to wed her today, and (below), Mrs. Perley B. Spiker, holding the baby of Miss Knowles and her husband, Lieutenant Spiker.



## SPIKER TO WED 'WAR BRIDE' OF BROTHER TODAY

FALL RIVER, Mass., Feb. 7.—The wedding of Guy S. Spiker and Miss Emily Knowles, English "war bride" of his brother, Perley B. Spiker, father of Guy, was celebrated here today.

Miss Knowles, who was born in England, came to this country with her baby and brother of Guy, who will probably take place tomorrow at 10 o'clock. It was learned here tonight that Guy Spiker arrived here today and went immediately to the residence of Mrs. William Battersby, where Miss Knowles is staying. He refused to meet newspapermen.

Guy Spiker tonight sent a telegram to his brother, Perley B. Spiker, in Baltimore, in which he said:

"Will be married tomorrow; expect to leave Monday if possible. I am leaving in the morning. I held a telephone conversation with Assistant City Clerk Delahanty pertaining to the marriage license and wedding."

**ASSISTANT CITY CLERK WILLY MARRY COUPLE**

Delahanty declared that Spiker and Miss Knowles would call at his house at 10 o'clock tomorrow for the marriage license. "I presume I will marry them," Delahanty said.

Mrs. Guy Spiker, wife of the father of Miss Knowles' child, did not accompany Guy Spiker on his present trip from Baltimore owing to a slight illness resulting from the strain she has been under for the past few weeks.

Miss Knowles today admitted that she had worn a wedding ring on the steamer coming from England.

"I did wear a wedding ring when I went aboard the steamer," Miss Knowles said. "I wore it during the voyage because of its absence and the presence of my baby might have caused embarrassing questions and speculation on the part of other passengers. I bought the ring myself."

Miss Knowles declared she believed that the wedding ring has been the cause of all the trouble that has been circulated that she had been married.

After their marriage, Guy Spiker and Miss Knowles will leave immediately for Baltimore, where they will live in the same house with Mr. and Mrs. Perley B. Spiker.

Under the Massachusetts law it will be legal for the couple to marry after 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, notice of intention having been filed by Guy Spiker at the city hall on Thursday.

**HOOVER ADVISES GUY TO THINK MATTER OVER**

Mrs. Battersby, whose attitude toward the marriage was one of nothing but mere tolerance for the Spiker family, said tonight that she had advised Emily to think the matter over very carefully before marrying Guy Spiker, and that the girl had refused to do so. Mrs. Battersby said Emily was keeping her plans to herself, but that the marriage surely would be solemnized in her home either by a Unitarian or a Presbyterian clergyman.

A wedding ring has been ordered and will be secured tonight, she said.

Emily Knowles received the following telegram tonight from New York:

"Upon no consideration marry under such conditions. Remember your birthright is English and as such do not accept such charity. Marrying in that manner is adding insult to injury. (Signed) ENGLISHMAN. Rodney F. Dutcher."

**MOTHER DISTRESSED BY DAUGHTER'S SITUATION**

By Universal Service.

STALEY BRIDGE, England, Feb. 7.—Careful search of marriage records here as well as in London and Norwich fails to reveal any record of the reported marriage of Lieutenant Perley B. Spiker and Emily Knowles, whose arrival in America with the child born of the romance with the young American aviation lieutenant has caused such widespread discussion of marital ethics.

## GUY SPIKER and MISS KNOWLES are in Fall River, Mass., where they are expected to be married today, notwithstanding reports that Miss Knowles had been dissuaded from the plan to go through with the ceremony.



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## Britain and Soviets in Peace Parleys

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 7.—Peace negotiations between Great Britain and Soviet Russia, are proceeding according to a dispatch from Reval today.

LONDON, Feb. 7.—Boishevik forces are advancing along the shores of the Black Sea twenty miles northeast of Odessa, a Moscow wireless communique today said.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Hostilities between British and Russian soviet forces in southwestern Asia are likely to break out within a few days, according to the opinion of the military experts here today.

## Half Ton Gelignite Stolen in Ireland

DUBLIN, Feb. 7.—(Special Cable Despatch.)—Sinn Feiners at Arklow, County Wicklow, were reported to have captured a half ton of gelignite from a ship there. A search of houses in the town and vicinity by the police has revealed no clue to the explosive or the men who took it from the ship.

## Wool Spinners Are Profiteers, Charged

LEASSED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.  
DETROIT, Feb. 7.—The board of trade has made public a report substantiating charges of profiteering against the wool spinners. The board's report showed the spinners' profits even greater than had been charged. The spinners' profits, the report showed, were from 1000 to 2000 per cent in excess of that authorized by the government.

## Bandits Cow Crowd; Escape With \$2000

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.  
LEASSED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.  
DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 7.—Five armed bandits today entered the near-by saloon of George Giorini, lined forty-five customers up against the wall and escaped with \$2000 taken from the cash register.

## Husband Mistakes Trip for Desertion

BY UNITED PRESS.  
LEASSED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—A smiling, happy couple today intruded the dreary round of divorce cases in Judge Graham's court.

Frank H. Peterson and Louise, his wife, desired the court to set aside an interlocutory decree of divorce.

Peterson explained he obtained the decree while his wife was East. He thought she had deserted him, but she had not. She had been here to declare her love for Peterson.

"I congratulate you both," said Judge Graham, setting aside the decree.

## Canadian Railway Strike in Offing

BY UNITED PRESS.  
LEASSED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.  
OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 7.—Possibility of a Canadian railway strike loomed today when it was learned that the Canadian general committee had forwarded a letter to union leaders in Cleveland asking sanction of strike action. The announcement was made by an official of a railroad brotherhood.

## Steamer Chappell Sends S. O. S. Call

BY UNITED PRESS.  
LEASSED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.  
SANTO SPIRITO, Italy, Feb. 7.—The Italian wireless station tonight received a S. O. S. call from the steamer Chappell. The message did not give the location of the vessel, but it is believed that she was far out to sea. The Chappell was plying between Norfolk and southern ports, according to information.

## \$20,000 Worth of Bond Coupons Stolen

BY UNITED PRESS.  
LEASSED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.  
MADISON, Wis., Feb. 7.—Postal authorities tonight were conducting a state-wide search for \$20,000 in United States bonds, consigned to the First National bank of Chicago by the First National bank of Chicago. It is thought the coupons were stolen en route.

## GERMANY IS SEETHING IN WRATH OVER ALLIES, FIAT

Wave of Indignation Said to Be Sweeping Over Country As Demands for Extradition of War Guilty Strike Home

Conviction Held That France Plans Government Downfall in Hope That Disintegration Will Remove Foe

By Universal Service Staff Correspondent.  
BERLIN, Feb. 7.—(Special Cable Despatch.)—Baron Kurt von Lermer, who resigned as head of the German peace delegation to Paris rather than submit to his government the list of German officials whose extradition is demanded by the allies, arrived here today.

"The hour of destiny of the German people has arrived," he said. "If Germany delivers the men demanded, we are ruined, if Germany does not deliver them we are in the respect of our enemies."

Admiral von Tirpitz, whose name is on the list of those wanted for trial, arrived here today from St. Blasien, having fled in fear of capture by a possible raid of French forces across the Rhine.

By Universal Service Staff Correspondent.  
BERLIN, Feb. 7.—(Special Cable Despatch.)—The wave of indignation and bitter resentment which is sweeping over Germany is swelling hourly. Preliminary demands for extradition that the demands for the extradition of German nationals, accused of war crimes will be forced with all the means at the command of the allies is serving to feed the flames of hatred which are concentrating on France to a degree unparalleled in Germany even during the war.

The situation is not unlike that which followed the publication of the peace terms last spring, but in many respects the feeling is more intense. The conviction is growing that France is planning the fall of the present German government, with the hope that the political unity of Germany may be destroyed in the chaos that will follow and thus destroy the highest ideal of the German people in the future, which is the reunification of Germany.

**BRITISH REPORTED AS EXPRESSING AMAZEMENT**

The greatest amazement and surprise was expressed today in foreign circles at the demand for the extradition of German officials, especially among the British official representatives, when the contents of the extradition list were learned. One of the highest British officials remarked that no military officer could have drawn up such demands, that they could only be the work of politicians.

The rashness, as the national council of upper chamber made up of representatives of the German states, is called, indicates its solidarity with the government in its demand for the extradition of German officials. The Prussian assembly and the Berlin municipal council also have approved the attitude of the government.

In the Berliner Tageblatt, Lieutenant General Count Montgelas characterizes the extradition list as a "product of insanity" and in view of the abnormality of the demand, he withdraws his statement he recently made urging that all generals and other high officers set the example of sacrifice for the fatherland by voluntarily surrendering themselves to the allies for trial. "This," he declares, can no longer be thought of. Montgelas is a well known liberal who compiled and edited Germany's pre-war documents, from which Kitchener took his famous book of disclosures.

**HIGH OFFICERS WILL NOT GO VOLUNTARILY**

The aged field marshal von Buelow, who was incapacitated by a stroke of apoplexy while commanding in Flanders and who is on the extradition list, declared today that he did not believe a single high officer would go voluntarily.

The entire country today is featuring interviews with Minister of Defense Noske, in which the latter states that he will not lift a hand to carry out the extradition demands. In view of the unanimity of opinion, it cannot be said that there is a crisis in the government. This cannot come until the allies take measures to enforce the demands. No one is willing to venture a prediction as to what may happen in Germany.

Germany's ear is strained to catch an echo of the effect of the extradition list throughout the world. She is looking especially to America for fair-minded judgment and understanding.

The criminal department at police headquarters has served notice that the military and civilian government must not expect the criminal police to aid in carrying out the allied demands for extradition of German nationals.

**OUTBREAK AT SIGHT OF FOREIGNERS FEARED**

Fearing that the sight of foreign uniforms might provoke outbreaks and attacks, the heads of the allied missions have issued orders to all attaches immediately to don civilian attire and under no circumstances to appear in the streets in uniform.

One of the highest members of the cabinet said today that the treaty which the allies now demand fulfillment was accepted by the present cabinet as an act of self preservation for the nation, because France at that time was seeking to further invade Germany in order to separate south Germany from the north. It was hoped at the time of signing the treaty, he added, that

## HOOVER ADVISES WILSON TO YIELD ON RESERVATIONS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Herbert Hoover has sent a message to President Wilson urging that he accept a compromise on the treaty and reservations, in order that peace may be restored to the world. It was learned at the White House this afternoon.

A telegram from Hoover to the president, which was sent some time ago, is now at the White House, it was learned.

It is understood that Hoover takes the position that the League of Nations is essential to the peace of the world, and that to get it is necessary. He urged that a compromise on the treaty be accepted by the president in order that the treaty might secure the immediate benefits of the League of Nations.

**EVEN TECHNICAL PEACE FIELD OF IMPORTANCE**

Hoover is understood to have urged a compromise on the ground that even a "technical peace" greatly would accomplish much in restoring order in the world at large and would prevent economic disaster.

At the White House today it was said there was no objection to making public the contents of the Hoover message, but it was not made public. The fact that President Wilson received it prior to the Jackson day banquet and did not heed it, shows that he and Hoover are not of one mind so far as the treaty is concerned.

Hoover believes, it is understood, that the League of Nations is essential to the salvation of Europe, especially to those countries where the problems of reconstruction are of paramount importance. It is this point he is believed to have emphasized in pleading with the president to accept a compromise.

Tonight Hoover issued the following:

## MOTHER LOVE IS PUT TO TEST IN BABY'S ARRIVAL

Will mother love, awakened in the heart of Mrs. Hubert Barnett with the birth of the baby which she delivered for sale to the highest bidder, change her attitude toward its future?

Or will she and her husband, San Francisco shoemaker, persist in their intentions and in their materialistic philosophy, which regards the child as an incumbrance to be passed along to some one who may desire it?

These two questions have arisen with the announcement that the Barnett baby, advertised so startlingly in advance, and the innocent center of a nation-wide controversy, was born in San Francisco Thursday night. It is being cared for by the parents who were blocked by the police court in their original intentions for its disposal.

When Mr. and Mrs. Barnett made their unusual plea that someone take the baby, they occasioned a storm of angry protest. What they did was to announce that the two children they already had were all they wished and that the newcomer was not desired. Because the father, a shoemaker, believed that some financial return should be made for the surrender of the infant, he advertised so that the highest bidder would get it. Neither he nor his wife professed to see anything unusual or illogical in the plan.

No sooner had the advertisement appeared than it attracted attention in all parts of the country. Among those to condemn the parents were: Dr. Evangeline W. Young of Boston, Judge Jean Norbert of New York, Nellie Bly, woman writer of New York; Mrs. Sophie Delavan of the Chicago Association of Commerce, and others equally prominent.

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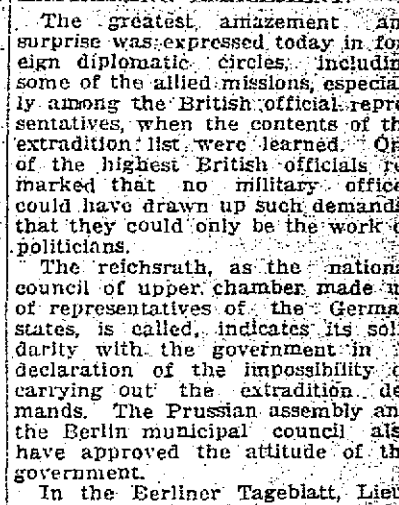
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press, but continued in their determination until court action blocked their way. In the court it was shown that the family lived in what appeared to be comfortable circumstances. They have a daughter, aged 4, and a son, aged 2, and have been married five years. Mr. and Mrs. Barnett have been guarding the secret of the news-

was only last night that the war was given out. They refuse to reveal its sex or to talk concerning their plans for its future.

**Former Governor**  
GALLATIN, Mo., Feb. 1.—The condition of Alexander M. Dockery, third assistant postmaster-general and former governor of Missouri, is at his home here since Wednesday today caused grave concern among his physicians. He is suffering from rheumatism and was greatly weakened from the strain.

Ants make slaves of other species of ants.

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## NEW PLANS ADOPTED TO GET KAISER

By FORBES W. FAIRBAIN,  
Universal Service Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, Feb. 7.—(Special Cable Despatch).—The allies have abandoned the idea of forcing Holland by economic pressure or blockade to give up the ex-kaiser, according to information received today by the Universal Service. A new plan now being drafted is to be the chief subject of discussion at Premier Lloyd George's new peace conference, which is to be held in Downing street Wednesday or Thursday.

"The new note," said the Universal Service informant, "will simply appeal to the sense of fair play of the Dutch government to surrender the arch-criminal. The issue will be fought out solely on the lines of international law. The allies are determined to show the Hague that it should surrender the ex-kaiser in the interest of world peace. I understand Holland is willing to yield in the event the allied diplomats prove their case."

The same informant said a solution of the delicate situation created by the allied demand for surrender of the ex-kaiser was in sight. The allies, he added, are adamant on the point of surrender.

## Influenza on Wane, New York Conclusion

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Only 2153 new cases of influenza were reported to health officials here today as compared with 2825 yesterday. Pneumonia cases increased, showing a total of 103 more than the previous day. Today's influenza deaths were 147, thirty-seven more than yesterday's. One hundred and sixty-three pneumonia deaths were reported, showing an increase of 53 more than yesterday.

Dr. Copeland, health commissioner, expressed the opinion that the disease is on the decline.

## Ben Franklin Said:

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If your eyesight becomes defective, though, you cannot possibly do your work properly, and down will go the figures on your pay envelope.

Our accurately fitted glasses keep the "figures" up—put more money in your pocketbook, and let you see the bright side of life.

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If your eyes bother you at all call and see us without loss of time.

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## STIFF NECK, LUMBAGO

Aches and Pains of Rheumatism Sometimes Almost Unbearable.

There are weather conditions that make rheumatism worse. They are not the same in the cases of all persons. Some victims of this disease suffer more in dry warm weather than in moist cold weather, but all suffer more or less all the time.

The cause of rheumatism is an excess of uric acid in the blood affecting the muscles and joints. Hence the blood must have attention for permanent results in the treatment of this disease.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has given entire satisfaction in the cases of many cases. Do not fail to give it a trial. If a laxative is needed, take Hood's pills—they don't gripe.—Advertisement.

## Edison Spent Whole War Period at Sea Studying U-Boats, Daniels Reveals

By UNIVERSAL SERVICE  
LEASING WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels today in the naval awards hearing declared that Thomas A. Edison passed nearly the entire period of the war on an American battleship studying methods of combating the submarine warfare. This hitherto unpublished fact was revealed by the secretary in reply to a question by Senator McCormick of Illinois as to why the noted inventor had been awarded a medal.

"Edison spent nearly all his time during the war with the navy," said the secretary. "He was on a battleship practically all the time. Edison's decoration was based on his devotion to duty. When he heard of the award he wrote and saying he did not desire a medal or thanks for his services."

"Rear Admiral Sims desired the bestowal and acceptance of foreign decorations," Secretary Daniels continued. "In a letter dated December 30, 1917, he asked the policy of the department in the following statement of his view:

"The foreign commander recommends that steps be taken that will permit United States naval personnel to accept the decorations of foreign governments. Experience in this force demonstrates clearly that recognition is prized as highly by our personnel as it is by the personnel

of foreign services. Its effect upon morale and efficiency is marked. The mere fact that the British government has expressed a desire to award decorations to certain of our ships became known and its effect was pronounced."

"To this pronouncement I did then and do now emphatically dissent. I do not believe for a moment that the 'mere fact' that the British government had expressed a desire to award decorations to certain of our ships, influenced the morale or fighting spirit of the men in the fleet. His fighting spirit may have been pronounced upon those more eager for British honors than American appreciation, but in the American navy that number is negligible. I was and am personally opposed to a foreign decoration upon the ancient American principle embodied in our laws and customs which was properly based upon the belief that if such decorations could be accepted there would not be wanting a few men in our service whose desire to obtain them was based upon a proper sense of duty and freedom from obligation in the slightest degree to any foreign nation, even to the most friendly nation, with which for the time being we associated in war."

## Captain Leay, Delirious, Lives Over Again Age-Long Hours on "Princess Anne"

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—"Keep up your courage. Keep fighting. I'll do all I can. Keep praying, keep praying."

Thus in his delirium tonight Captain Frank Seay of the ill-fated steamer Princess Anne lived again the age-long hours he spent on the stranded ship off Rockaway Point. He was under care of three physicians at his Brooklyn home where he was taken by President Walker of the Old Dominion line this afternoon after his rescue from the steamer.

Seay, a native of Norfolk, Va., and only 31 years old, suffered sprains in both knees when he was thrown down in his own stateroom, filled with water.

CONFIDENT OF SAFETY.

"I knew God would send me back to you," he told his wife, as he fell sobbing into her arms. The Old Dominion liner Princess Anne, which stranded on a reef off Rockaway Point early yesterday, settled deeper in the sand tonight, and the heavy seas still battered at her hull. Only a few dim lights told of the presence aboard of 44 of the officers and crew, who remained on the steamer in the belief that they will be able to float her tomorrow.

Twenty-eight of the crew, and the thirty-two passengers were taken off the steamer in the morning. A spectacular rescue in the annals of the coast guard and harbor police. After fruitless attempts to launch life boats from the shore yesterday, efforts were renewed again today. A launch from the police patrol, after being driven back three times by the mountainous waves, worked its way to the side of the Princess Anne and made fast with a line. Six men and three women were let over the side from the icy decks in rope swings. The launch crew were hard put to prevent their little craft from being crushed against the steamer's side at each surge of the waves.

PASSENGERS TAKEN OFF.

The launch, piloted by Lieutenant Harry Debert, then made its way to the Patrol, to which the passengers were transferred. On the next trip the launch carried 14, then 16, then 12 persons. On the final trip the life boat took nine members of the crew.

All the piers in Jamaica bay had been damaged by the high tides resulting from the storm, and a circuitous trip up through New York bay and landed the Princess Anne passengers and crew at the Battery. Captain Seay, both of whose knees were sprained in an accident two or three days before the liner went ashore, was among those taken off. The first mate was in command when the steamer struck.

"It seemed to me that no one cared whether we were taken off or not," said Mrs. David Pasternac, New York, the first person to board the Patrol from the launch. "I saw boats all around and wondered why they didn't come to our assistance. I thought that if they really tried they could have done so. There were no lights or heat and everything was as uncomfortable as it could be. We could not sleep in the

## WIRELESS PLANT FAILED

The heat, light and wireless plants failed when the boiler room was flooded, soon after the ship went aground. The only food was canned salmon, sardines, oysters and hardtack. The water supply was so low that it was rationed. All available blankets and clothing were employed in an effort to keep warm.

Captain Seay reported that a big hole had been stove in the stern of the steamer and that she would have to be pumped out before she could be floated. He was confident the steamer was in no immediate danger and that she might be taken off tomorrow.

POLARIS CREW ADMITS

ROCKLAND, Maine, Feb. 7.—The ten men of the crew of the stranded steamship Polaris, which went aground on Old Cley reef, twenty miles south of here, were still adrift, "somewhere off the coast of Maine," according to radio messages received here early tonight.

The United States Shipping Board's steamship Polar Bear, which went ashore off Massachusetts late last night, was being pounded to pieces tonight by the giant seas that are running, according to wireless messages. Here, the crew of the stricken vessel was taken off today by the United States destroyer Cushing.

## ESTIMATE GIVES S. F. POPULATION AROUND 500,000

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—Estimates today purported to fix the population of San Francisco, determined by the recent census, at from between 503,000 and 505,000 inhabitants. The authenticity of the figures are not affirmed, but they are said to be as nearly beyond question the present status of census returns will permit.

San Francisco's population in 1910, according to the census bureau, was 416,812, so that a present population of 503,000 indicates a growth of the ten-year period of 21 per cent.

Recent estimates of the San Francisco population, on the basis of the alleged unofficial returns of the census, have gone as high as 670,000. Francis J. Mannix, supervisor of the census here, denied that any figures which had been announced was authentic.

## INDIAN CHIEF IS DEAD.

TALHINA, Okla., Feb. 7.—Born in the Choctaw Nation of the Indian Territory in 1848, and after living within the limits of that nation his entire lifetime, Gilbert W. Duke, ex-principal chief of the Choctaws and said to be one of the most distinguished members of his race, died at his home here a few days ago.

## MRS. WILSON IS SPEEDILY FREED

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about her. Donald and Alan, the two small boys of the Wilsons, ran to their mother and climbed into her lap.

Mrs. O. J. Howard, sister of Mrs. Wilson, jealousy of whom, prosecution alleged, caused Mrs. Wilson to conspire to kill Charlie Brown, went over, sat on the arm of the defendant's chair, put one arm about her sister and vainly tried to stem a flood of tears with her kerchief.

Attorney Algernon Crofton, who divided the defense, believed from long experience that such short deliberation must mean acquittal. And yet he wasn't sure. He tried to talk Mrs. Wilson into going with him to her home, but his voice was tremulous.

Because his mama was weeping, little three-year-old Kenneth McCormick began to whimper. The aged father of Gertrude Wilson was visibly affected.

The jurors filed in. From among the court room crowd, Jim Brown, brother of Charlie Brown, came forward and to his accustomed seat. His wife and the three sisters of the slain man, who have been in constant attendance at the trial, did not return.

"This time Judge Weyand was on the bench."

"Have you found a verdict?" the judge asked Helman.

"Read it," directed the court.

"What?" from Helman.

"Read it."

Helman arose.

If an orange had dropped from one of the laden trees in the courtyard outside its fall could have been heard by the judge on the bench.

"We, the jury, find Mrs. Gertrude Wilson not guilty," read Helman from a sheet of paper he held steeped in his hands.

Gertrude Wilson turned her face to her husband. She appeared calm, but there was something that looked like raindrops in her eyes.

Mrs. McCormick and Mrs. Howard were sobbing aloud.

Fred Wilson was kissing his wife and Attorney Crofton's eyes were red like those of a man who has passed sleepless nights.

The father of the liberated woman sat very still looking at his children, and it seemed as though he did not know just what to do.

A dozen women crowded forward from the courtroom and each in turn kissed Mrs. Wilson, and some of them kissed Mrs. Howard.

Among the number was Mrs. E. W. Hale of Sacramento, prominently known throughout the State. She said:

"I prayed on my knees last night for an acquittal."

Other spectators were crowding about Attorney Crofton and Chas. A. Wetmore of counsel for the defense, congratulating them.

Special Prosecutor Carlin surprised those who do not know him best when, in closing his argument this morning, he told the jury he did not believe in capital punishment, and said for a verdict that would "put the defendant away for a few years."

"I say to you from the bottom of my heart," he said, "that I am a juror, that I do not believe in capital punishment."

"I could not sleep if I thought one word or act of mine had sent a man to woman to the gallows. In my opinion, it is for God to work that out. I have no right to take the living spirit of God and cut it off from life."

"That is why I am a poor prosecutor. I expect some day to see my mother up yonder and I don't want her then to say to me, 'Will, did you have anything to do with having a woman hanged?'"

"So I ask you to bring in a verdict that will put this woman for a while where she can make shirts or do some other useful thing and give her a chance to get over her amnesia."

"By killing her, you will not help the heart-broken mother and the brothers and sisters of Charlie Brown."

## In the Examination

at school today I got an "Excellent." Teacher asked us what food was best. I said "Superior" Doughnuts make the best food because they are full of sugar and wheat and fats and those are the things that make the greatest food value when they're put together.

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## Villa Loots Shops and Kidnaps Merchant in Raiding Durango Towns

(By Universal Service)

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 7.—An unverified report was received here today that Francisco Villa has raided the important towns of Gomez Palacio and Lardo in Durango. According to the report received here, the homes and stores of the two towns were looted and a prominent merchant carried off to be held for ransom. The raid, according to the report received here, occurred three days ago.

The Mexican consul here said he had received no confirmation of the report.

A private letter received here today told of a raid on January 29 on a sugar plantation in the state of Vera Cruz. The chief engineer and chemist were made captive by the raiders, and 500 mules stolen. The American manager, named Fuelling, escaped, being in a nearby town at the time of the raid. Belief was expressed here that the Villa band reported to have raided Gomez Palacio is the same one said to have carried off Joseph E. Askew, manager of the Tlahuelito Cotton Company plantation. Askew is reported to be held by Villistas for \$20,000 ransom.

## RED PERIL SEEN BY LUDENDORFF

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—The menace of Bolshevism to most of the rest of the world is pointed out in an interview by General Ludendorff with Carl von Wiegand, correspondent of the Universal Service in a Berlin despatch last night copyrighted by the Universal Service. Ludendorff declares that the Bolsheviki have sent their emissaries broadcast.

"Bolshevism," he says, "is an offensive power which aims to bring about a world revolution."

Other portions of his statement to Von Wiegand were as follows:

"I consider lasting peace with the soviet republic impossible. We made peace with her but she has fought us ever since. Will not the world take our lesson to heart?"

"The military forces which Bolshevism can concentrate in April on the eastern frontiers of Poland—climatic conditions prevent an earlier commencement of operations there are estimated by experts at 600,000 men. They are well disciplined and will be well equipped."

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## Court Marriages Are Condemned by Judge

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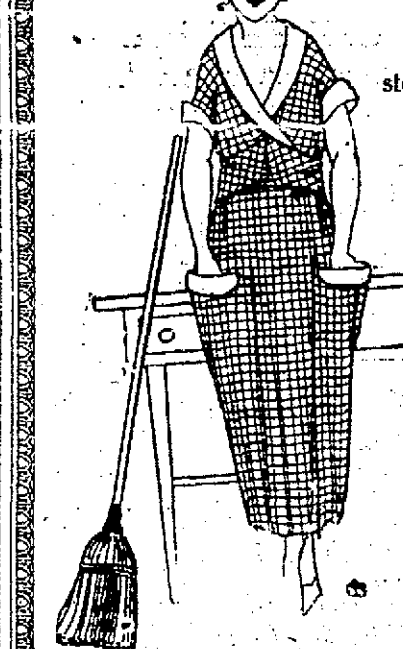
CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Marriage courts should be abolished, Chief Justice Harry Olson of the municipal court here declared tonight.

"A court marriage, although Christian, does not carry the same solemnity as a church marriage does," Judge Olson said. "A church marriage is more impressive and gives a better idea of the solemnity of the bond."

Judge Olson said a majority of those asking divorces were married in courts. This, he said, was partly due to the fact that the couples did not realize the solemnity and sacredness of the marriage.

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# S. F. DRIVE ON GAMBLING ON MONDAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—Two important developments in the so-called graft and gambling investigation in this city are due for Monday. In the first place, the drive on gambling of all sorts is to start with the police and district attorney's office, their differences settled, working shoulder to shoulder. The second is another meeting of the grand jury Monday evening when Foreman W. H. Harrelson will present further evidence in connection with bail-bond charges.

Police Department, assigned to head the bail-bond investigation, is ill, but the probe is to go on without him, according to Harrelson. Detective Captain Duncan Matheson is engaged in getting the evidence into shape for submission. Chief of the subjects to be taken up by the grand jury is the charge against Police Judge John J. Sullivan of illegally conducting the bail of Bernard Condon charged with attempt to commit murder.

**BAIL-BOND CASE UP**

Vincent Riccardi, chief informant in the bail-bond scandal, declares he will have further evidence of graft to offer. To offset this, Peter McDonough, accused by Riccardi, has offered to produce evidence against Riccardi himself.

Differences between District Attorney Matthew Brady and Police

# Judge Impressed by Revolver Sketches Burglar's Features Midnight Prowler Is Arrested

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—Two nights ago when Police Judge Henry Owens returned to his home at 612 Cabrillo street and found himself face to face in the dining room with a burglar who leveled a revolver at the judge's head and told him to keep quiet, he was so impressed with the cool manner in which the burglar conducted himself that he took particular pains to note every line and feature in the man's face. After the burglar had gone, with a generous helping of the family silverware, Judge Owens sat down and drew a pencil sketch of the man, which he turned over to the police with his report.

Tonight Detective Sergeant Hoerthorn and Corporal of Police Frank Harvey arrested a man in the downtown district whose features resembled those of the man the judge had sketched. He gave him the name of Charles Sedgar and said he was a salesman. He was later identified by Judge Owens as now in the city prison booked on a charge of burglary.

When questioned concerning the sketching of the burglar, Judge Owens said: "It doesn't require much art or effort to recall the outlines of a man's face vividly when that face is looking at one over the barrel of a gun."

**Pershing Sets Hard Pace Despite "Flu"**

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FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 7.—General Pershing, suffering a slight attack of influenza, today underwent one of the most strenuous days of his country-wide inspection tour.

He will remain here tomorrow, resting, taking part in a reduced schedule of entertainment.

Chief D. A. White are said to have been postponed by mutual consent until after the gambling situation is cleared up. To assist in this drive \$2500 appropriated by the supervisors is available.

**Infidelity Is Charged; Couples Ask Divorce**

Infidelity is charged in two divorce suits filed in the Superior Court yesterday. Russell E. Colburn charges that Mae Colburn deserted him and three young girls about a year ago, and is living with a man named Ray at 1778 Mission street, San Francisco.

Mrs. Mabel M. Northam charges that Bert Northam has since admitted he was the father of Don Joseph Northam, who they had adopted some time ago. The mother was a resident of Sacramento, the wife says her husband told her. Northam is a brakeman for the Southern Pacific, according to the complaint.

# Girl Tells of Horror Seen in Russia-Armenia

MISS HERMINE DAKESIAN, Armenian girl victim of Turkish deportations, now in this country.

OBELINE, Ohio, Feb. 7.—Imagining a bread line of 120,000 people waiting for twenty-four hours a day for the dole of food that is the sole barrier between them and death from starvation. That is the situation in Alexandropol, a city in Russian Armenia, according to Miss Hermine Dakesian, a pretty Armenian girl, one of the survivors of four years of the horrors of Turkish massacres and deportations. Saved by an American woman, she has come to this country and entered Oberlin college.

When she came fourteen other Armenian girls and a few Armenian women, who have been instrumental in helping to save hundreds of thousands of their people from death by starvation. Miss Dakesian, who is not given to exaggeration and has seen more than a million people are facing death by starvation in Armenia and will perish unless America aids.

Herself an eyewitness to the slaughter of hundreds of helpless women and children by the Turks and a victim of the deportations, Miss Dakesian, an unusually pretty girl, says there is untold suffering in Armenia and Syria.

# DONOVAN WILL PLAN COLLEGE

John J. Donovan, local architect and designer, has been awarded by the college board of trustees the planning of the new St. Mary's college. Donovan designed the Oakland Auditorium, Oakland Technical high school, and was advising architect of the new city hall. The public schools that have been erected in Alameda county since 1912 also were designed by him.

St. Mary's college has outgrown its present location and in order to expand on the university plan, a larger tract of land is necessary. The great expansion of Oakland's business section has surrounded St. Mary's college with garages and automobile companies. It is impossible to purchase a sufficient amount of territory in the present location. The board of trustees therefore approved the purchase of 250 acres in Oakland, on the San Leandro border.

Brother Cornelius, head of the art department and president of the architectural advisory committee, held a consultation Saturday with Donovan to discuss the primary plans and location of the new institution. Donovan's decision is satisfactory to all.

"Viewing the site I was greatly impressed not only with the building possibilities, but with nature's provision of a natural stadium. The buildings will embody the features of the latest type. I understand the college has always encouraged athletics because of their educational value. The specifications will include facilities of the highest quality, including a swimming pool, gymnasium, athletic field and stadium."

# Oakland Teacher Becomes Bride at Church Ceremony

The former Miss Helen Cryostomo, now Mrs. GEORGE L. LAWRENCE, is shown in photo.

Miss Helen Cryostomo Weds Centerville Banker at Brilliant Function.

SAN LEANDRO, Feb. 7.—More than ordinary interest centered here this week in the wedding of Miss Helen Cryostomo to George Lester Lawrence, the new manager of the Centerville branch of the San Leandro State Bank. The former Miss Cryostomo was for several years a teacher in the San Leandro schools. The past year she has been teaching in Oakland.

The ceremony at St. Leander's church Wednesday evening was a brilliant event, attended by many friends. Rev. Father Martins performed the ceremony.

The young couple are now in Southern California on a honeymoon.

# Man Found Guilty of Telling Truth; Judge Lets Him Go

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Andrew Smith, arraigned for failing to stop his car at a boulevard, was questioned by Judge Steik of the speeders' court.

"Your honor, I saw the 'stop sign,'" said he, "and I knew I was supposed to come to a halt, but I noticed several other machines cross the boulevard, so I thought I could get by, although I saw the policeman."

"I find you guilty of speaking the truth and discharging you," said the judge.

# MANY NURSES NEEDED FOR FLU

Not only by those who cannot pay for such service, but by those, as well, who can pay for it, nurses are badly needed in many influenza stricken households in the Eastbay. For this reason the nursing bureau of the Oakland Chapter of the American Red Cross issued yesterday a special appeal for nursing aid.

Both trained and practical nurses are sought, as well as those women who have had the Red Cross course in the home care of the sick. The local chapter of the Red Cross has taken charge of the nursing problem, owing to the shortage of nurses, at the request of the city health department.

Transportation will be provided for volunteers and adequate remuneration will be given. Applications are sought at once for the nursing bureau headquarters, room 510, City Hall, Lakeside 3600; Local 90.

**PRISONERS GO MAD.**

PARIS, Feb. 7.—An epidemic of madness has broken out in the Sante prison. Ten inmates who suddenly became raving maniacs, have been isolated in special cells.

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**Students Plan Drive for Red Cross Shop**

With "pledge a pound of paper per person" as their slogan, the children of the Oakland public schools will launch a newspaper drive for the benefit of the Junior Red Cross Shop, 557 Twelfth street, for five days beginning February 9.

Each school will be given a quota, according to its enrolment. Persons having newspapers may give them to the pupils or leave them at the Red Cross Shop. When the package of papers is large, telephone Lakeside 181, and truck will be sent for them.

The proceeds of the drive will go toward bettering conditions of children in the poorer districts. A part will be expended in establishing a clinic where crippled children will be given corrective exercise. Penny lunches for undernourished children will also be included.

More than \$100 already has been spent by the Junior Red Cross Shop in repairing shoes that have been donated for school children.

**Course is Announced in Railroad Traffic**

The various details of railway transportation and traffic management will be taught in a course announced by the extension division of the University of California to be begun in San Francisco February 15. The course will be given by Walker L. Trammell of the Southern Pacific Company, and a nucleus for the class, which must be limited in membership, has already been formed among Southern Pacific employees.

Registrations are now being received for the class at the San Francisco office of University extension, 140 Kearny street, and at the 2011 California Hall, Berkeley, where mail applications are also received, and where further information is given. The course will be conducted in Emanuel School building, 1337 Sutter street, San Francisco.

**Final Whist Party Before Lent Planned**

Preparations are complete for the final whist party before the Lenten season, to be given by the St. Joseph's Athletic Club next Friday evening, February 13, at the Knickerbocker Club, 1337 Sutter street, between 13th and 14th streets. The proceeds are to go toward the rebuilding fund. The exterior of the clubrooms and gymnasium have been remodeled and work is now under way to equip the interior of the gymnasium of the club with a hardwood floor. When finished the club can boast of one of the most elaborate clubrooms and up-to-date gymnasiums in the city. The members of the girls' auxiliary will act as score girls and card distributors. The committee in charge of the affair is as follows: Rev. P. Flynn, chairman; F. P. Duffy, L. A. Rappold, T. R. Mullen, J. A. Mullen, E. F. Penelon, G. V. Nolan and H. J. Lemons.

**Joke Idea Makes Mother Alarmed**

It was a girl's desire to play a joke on her mother and her desire to seek fame in movieland that caused the police to make a search for Elizabeth Narroff, aged 15 years, of 1836 Myrtle street, and May Leonard, 1932 Myrtle street. The Narroff girl desired to go to Richmond for a book, and she left a note to her mother, saying, "I have run away, but I will telephone you." When the mother found it she notified the police, in two hours or so the child was home again, having in the meantime kept her promise to telephone. Her mother has convinced her that her ideas of a joke are subject to change.

**Two Youths Held for Theft on Probation**

LAWRENCE SWEENEY, 16; Richard Saville, 14; George Brown, 14, and Max Bacharach, 15, charged with stealing a purse containing \$75 in money and several hundred dollars worth of jewelry from Mrs. Carolyn Ketcher, were placed on probation yesterday by Judge E. C. Robinson in the juvenile court. Sweeney is alleged to have snatched the purse while Mrs. Ketcher was walking on the street and to have run with the other boys. The probationary period is to last during the boys' minority. The parents agreed to make good the loss sustained.

**Berkeley Schools Request Property**

The Berkeley school district yesterday filed two condemnation suits to acquire property for school sites. Junius Tibbitt is made defendant in a suit to condemn 75x120 feet at Ellis and Prince streets. The other suit is against Stella M. Warner to condemn a lot in the Jack Domingo tract.

**Wife Drunk, Kissed Many Men, Complaint**

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—Antone Meriani in answer today to his wife's suit for divorce, declares she returned intoxicated on night and forcibly kissed every man she could get her hands on in the hotel where they were living.

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# PYTHIANS TO SEARCH FOR BACHELDER

State-wide search was begun today by the Knights of Pythias, acting in co-operation with the Oakland and San Francisco police departments, for Thomas Bachelder, 80 years old, formerly one of the most prominent attorneys of the bay region and a pioneer resident of Oakland.

The mystery of Bachelder's strange disappearance has hitherto baffled all efforts to solve it, but it was not reported back to the hospital, as the police was enlisted in the search for the aged man. He disappeared from the county infirmary November 20 and has not been seen since. During the last few years Bachelder has resided on a ranch near Hayward. Last fall he suffered a temporary breakdown of his mental faculties and was placed in the county infirmary, which was near his home, for observation.

**DISAPPEARS ON WALK.**  
He was apparently on the high road to recovery on the day of his disappearance. He had gone out for a walk, according to a habit he had formed, and when night came he did not report back to the hospital. As he was in the habit of visiting old friends in San Francisco and Oakland at frequent intervals, it was assumed that he would return in a day or so.

A week elapsed and the family and friends of the aged attorney were notified. A private search was instituted without result. But the police were not notified. A thorough canvass of his friends was made but no one had seen him.

Yesterday an organized search was started. Knights of Pythias of Contra Costa and Alameda counties have combined to further the hunt for the missing man. Bachelder, it is stated, was one of the founders and charter members of the order in California.

Among the prominent members of the Knights of Pythias who have pledged themselves to leave no stone unturned until their comrade is found, dead or alive, are: W. P. Williams of the Auto Supply company, 245 Twelfth street; Carl Wood, an attorney in the Syndicate building, and Dr. H. B. Mehrmann, 3211 Grove street.

**BOY SCOUTS EXISTED.**

As a further move in the search, the entire Boy Scout organization of Oakland has entered into the hunt for Bachelder. H. J. Bemiss, Scoutmaster, has stated that nothing will be left undone by the Scouts in the

## Burglars Enter Two Residences; Get \$2000 Haul

Burglars who looted two residences in neighboring districts of Oakland and Piedmont last night secured a total loot of approximately \$2000.

The residence of A. C. Ballingall, 26 Park way, Piedmont, was entered by burglars who "jimmied" open a basement window. They ransacked the house from bottom to top. Silverware, jewelry of various sorts and articles of clothing were taken.

At the residence of Fred E. Reed, local realty dealer, apparently the same men, since they worked in the same manner, stole a string of pearls and other jewelry, a quantity of monogrammed jewelry and clothing. They secured entrance by prying open a rear window. The loss is shared about equally by the Ballingalls and Reeds.

organized effort to find the aged man.

Search has already been made in the hills by friends and hospital authorities, but the Contra Costa foothills will be combed by the Scouts in the effort to find some clew which will solve the mystery.

The prevalent theory is that Bachelder wandered off into the hills and perished.

"The body will probably be found some place in the hills, now that a real hunt has been started," said Attorney Carl Wood Saturday night.

"I can think of no other theory that would account for the disappearance. No doubt some trace would have been found of Bachelder before this if the matter had received more publicity."

Bachelder formerly maintained one of the largest law offices in California in this city. It was in his office that A. A. Moore, well-known attorney of Oakland and San Francisco, began his career.

**TRUCK DRIVER ARRESTED.**

BERKELEY, Feb. 7.—Lawrence Simmons, formerly a truck driver for the U. C. Express company, was arrested in San Francisco today and was returned to Berkeley this evening to face a charge of embezzlement. It is alleged in the complaint that Simmons appropriated \$42 of the express company's funds for his own use. The offense occurred last June.

## Missing Navy Man Puts in Appearance

ALAMEDA, Feb. 7.—W. P. Sweeney, a chief petty officer in the commissary department at Goat Island, who was reported to the police as missing this morning, when he failed to show over night at his home, 1424 Willow street, this

city, returned home this afternoon, according to brief word sent to the police. No explanation for his absence was given in the report of his return. Sweeney left Goat Island yesterday at 1:15 o'clock and was transferred some business in San Francisco. He dropped from view after leaving the island and no word was received from him till this afternoon.

## Dodge, Auto Maker, Cuts Off Son in Will

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 7.—The will of the late John F. Dodge, automobile manufacturer, filed for probate today, cut off John Duval Dodge, son, with only a monthly allowance of \$150. The son was said to have displeased his father.

## Exchange Dealings Suspended in Italy

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Stock exchange dealings in foreign exchange have been suspended by the Italian government, according to cable advices to the department of commerce today from Rome.

## Mohammedan Leaps Four Floors to Death

SEATTLE, Feb. 7.—Omar Deen, 45, a Mohammedan of Seattle, jumped from the fourth story of the Province hospital today while suffering from influenza, and died a little later. Deen writhed free from shackles which bound him to a bed.

## Idaho Gives Police Statewide Range

BOISE, Ida., Feb. 7.—Idaho police officers, assembled, have adopted a statewide criminal registration plan based on fingerprints, and accepted a rule that an Idaho police officer's duty does not stop at county or city boundaries.

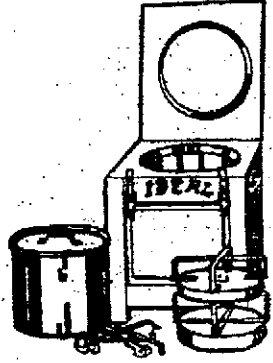
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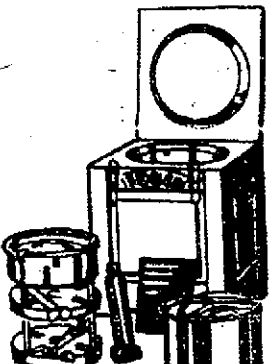
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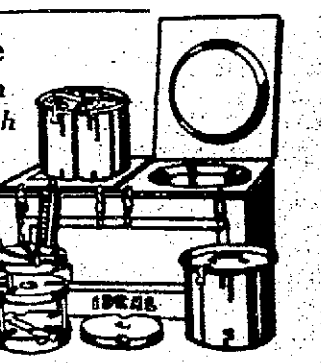
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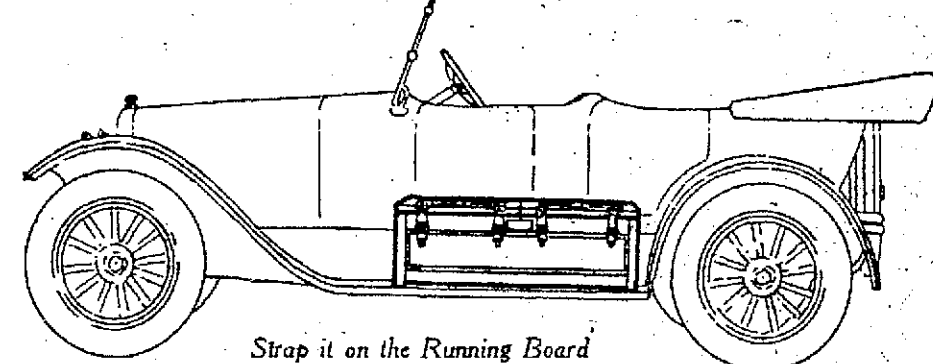
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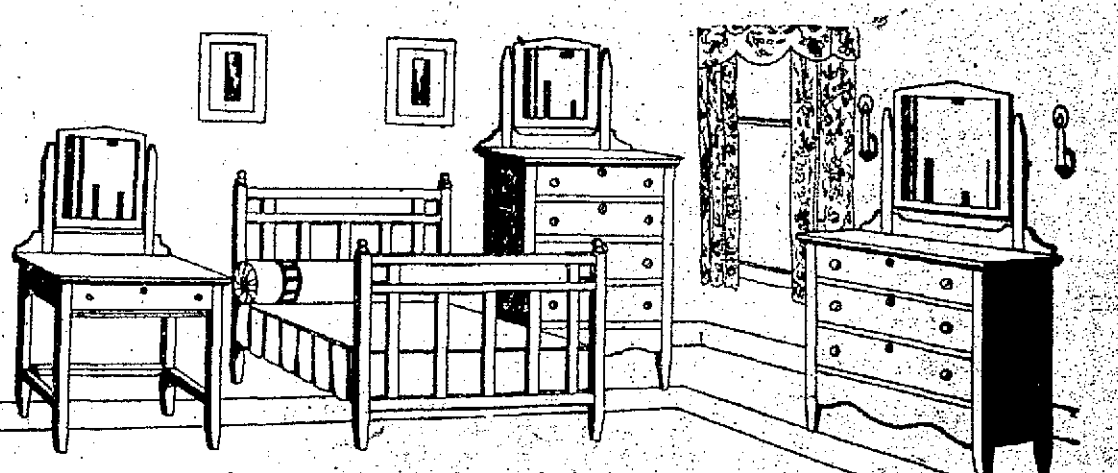


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**TEA SALE** Ceylon and India blend, with Orange Pekoe, lb. ....60c  
This black tea is not excelled at even \$1.00 lb.

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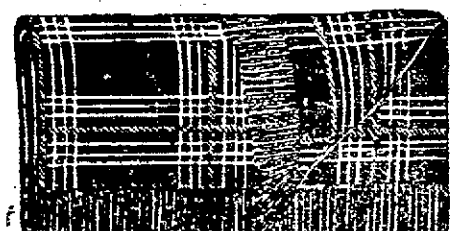
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## Jackson's Drapery Dept.

is fully equipped to decorate your home. Telephone Oakland 482, "Drapery Section" and we will send out one of our drapery experts with samples—estimates gladly given. Usual easy payment plan.



**Special—Monday and Tuesday Nottingham Curtains**

400 pairs Nottingham—

in ivory and beige—60 to 69

inches wide—2 1/2 yards long.

Have overlooked edges. Good

patterns, one illustrated—will launder and

give good wear.

Take elevator to Top Floor.

**Automobile Robes—60x78**

11.00 1.50 down, 1.50 month

In plaid, as illustrated. Regulation size

—60x78 inches. Wool mixed—blue plaids

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## The A-B Pipeless Furnace



Heats the entire house.

Completely installed—

285.00 45.00 down—20.00 month

You can trade in your old stove or stoves in part payment—we'll allow you a fair price.

A safe investment—you get a 5-year guarantee in writing to replace without charge any castings burning out (except grates and water heater) within a period of five years from the date of your purchase.

The size illustrated has a 22-inch firepot and will heat a ten-room house comfortably.

A smaller size is priced at 200.00, completely installed, and sold on terms of 32.00 down and 14.00 a month.

A healthy, sanitary, uniform warmth. The cold air is drawn down into the furnace and is returned comfortably heated. The water pan takes care of the proper humidity.

A high-grade, successful furnace. Burns hard and soft coal, briquettes and wood.

Step into the store and let us show and explain the A-B pipeless furnace to you.



39.50 4.00 down—3.50 month

**Baby Carriage**—Easy riding, full adjustable top and adjusted windshield. In three finishes—dark blue with gray lining, natural with blue lining, dark ivory with gold color lining.



21.50 2.25 down—2.00 month

**Fully Collapsible**—Black water proof. Adjustable top, back and foot rest. Handy to take on and off cars.

**Oriole Go-Basket**—In two finishes, natural and in brown, exactly as illustrated. Priced at 19.00—2.00 down and 2.00 a month.

Variety of others up to 22.75—some with hood; in ivory, brown and gray. Usual easy terms.

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# SIR OLIVER SUMS UP 40 YEARS STUDY

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—When Sir Oliver Lodge, now in New York beginning his national lecture tour, began his investigation of psychic phenomena, it was with the view to expose fraud and hallucination. He was far from a believer.

He is now a confirmed spiritualist. Born in Staffordshire in June, 1851, he received an average education until the age of fourteen, he started to work in his father's business in the pottery. He very soon found this uninteresting and after attending a course of six science lectures by Professor Tyndale, he began to study the subject at home and at evening classes.

**SENT TO COLLEGE.**

Disappointed, but deeming it best to let him follow his bent, his father sent him to University College, London, to continue his studies. Sir Oliver became demonstrator in physics at this college and before long his name was continually before the public and the scientific community.

His great gift is that of making smaller intellects understand thoroughly the subject on which he is speaking. Despite his own masterful grasp of science, he is able to defer to the viewpoint of his hearers so that after his remarks their insight into the particular phase under discussion is probably as clear as theirs.

His interest in psychic matters extends over a period of thirty or forty years, and now in professing himself a believer in spiritualism, he is acknowledging that there is always a danger in recounting experiences or in drawing inferences from them he proclaims that "in matter of bare fact" he is able to give a verdict.

"If a man gives thirty or forty years of his life to investigating a thing," he says, "he is entitled to state the result that he has arrived at. My conclusion is that we are surrounded by beings working with us—co-operating, helping—such as people in visions have had some perception of. That which religion tells us—that saints and angels are with us—I believe is literally true."

For the present, at least, Sir Oliver is not in favor of the practice of spiritualism by the masses. In this he differs from Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, who is touring Britain with a view to converting his fellows to a practical belief in spiritualism. Sir Oliver considers that practical application of discoveries will have to remain in the hands of experts, as they cannot be absorbed by the multitude without danger.

**Dickens' Anniversary Is Celebrated Today**

LONDON, Feb. 7.—Admirers of Charles Dickens are today celebrating the 108th anniversary of the birth of the great Victorian novelist. Celebrations to his birthplace, Gadshill, Kent, and the many places made famous by his writings, and South London marked by memorial plaques signifying that he lived some time or other were duly visited by Dickensians, and this week numerous Dickens readings and theatrical productions are scheduled to be given.

Sir Henry Fielding Dickens, sixth and only surviving son of the famous novelist, is Common Sergeant, or second criminal judge, at the Old Bailey Court, London.

**Thieves Operate at Fashionable Parties**

LONDON, Feb. 7.—A new school for thieves is reported in London which capitalizes a hostess' obligation to entertain her guests that they occurred during one of her parties, and is therefore working in perfect safety.

Private detectives who have been recently employed by some prominent hostesses to protect their guests explain that the usual pose is that of a demobilized officer who is running through his gratuity in a blaze of glory. Ex-officers find easy acquaintance and frequent invitations. They engage the attention of the hostess or the guests while a feminine companion loots the cloakroom. Such cases are seldom reported to the police.

**JOE LANCASTER (MERCHANT TAILOR)**

Formerly of Lancaster & Rehor, wants you to know that he is now **Paddling His Own Canoe** With a Full Cargo of Domestic and Imported Wools.

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**Burroughs' Bookkeepers and Calculators**

There is a good demand for young men and women who can operate Burroughs' Ledger Posting Machines and Burroughs' Calculators. Head's Business College is thoroughly equipped to give first-class instruction in these courses. Day classes and Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. Write, phone or call for full information. Phone Oakland 201. 528 16th St.—Advertisement.

**DR. W. J. MHOON**

formerly at 566 Broadway, has removed his office to Commercial Building, Rooms 206 and 207, 460 Third, Cor. Broadway.

## MRS. GEORGE S. WIRTH, who before her marriage yesterday in Trinity Episcopal church, was Miss Harriette Peter of this city.



## UNIVERSITY GIRL TAKES HUSBAND

One of the first of February weddings took place yesterday in Trinity Episcopal church when Miss Harriette Peter and George S. Wirth were married in the presence of close friends and relatives. The bride was attended by Mrs. L. H. Peter, her sister-in-law, while L. H. Peter served as best man for Wirth.

Mrs. Wirth is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Peter of this city. Her husband is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wirth Sr., of Alhambra, in southern California. Mrs. Wirth was graduated from the San Francisco State Normal School and later was a member of the 18 class at the University of California.

The bridegroom served as an officer in the 91st division overseas. After an extended motor trip throughout the northern part of the State, the young couple will make their home in Auburn.

## Tells Judge She Can Stand Contempt Case

Superior Judge E. C. Robinson, sitting in the juvenile court, has issued a bench warrant for the arrest of Mrs. Duce Arnesse, who failed to bring her daughter into court upon order and who admitted she had sent her to Sacramento after receiving the court's citation.

When Judge Robinson told her he might send her to jail for contempt, she said: "I guess I could stand it." She was ordered to bring the girl to court Friday afternoon, but neither appeared. The bench warrant was made returnable next Friday.

## PLAN ORANGE SHOW FEATURES

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 7.—Tenth National Orange Show, to open at San Bernardino on February 13 and continue for 10 days, will be the most gorgeous in the history of Orange Shows, declare artists who have started well under way the final work on the big exposition.

A beautiful decorative scheme, embodying Masterlinck's story of the Bluebird, will be interwoven with 1,000,000 oranges to create the scene of splendor. The night atmosphere will be heightened by the radiant colors of torchlights playing on great clouds of red stars that will rise from incense burners and cast a glow over the waters of the Orange Show park lake and among the trees and flowers. One could imagine oneself along the Mediterranean in the days of Old Italy or Spain, say the artists. Statues of Pomona, the goddess of fruit, will hold aloft transparent and illuminated California poppies. There will be a living vine and rose effect on lattice trellises along the main promenade.

Masterlinck is expected in Southern California during the Orange Show and he will be invited to view the gorgeous spectacle.

**BRITISH REWARD GERMAN.**

LONDON, Feb. 7.—The first friendly reception accorded a German since 1914, was seen at Dorchester when Private Bruckmann, prisoner of war, was presented with a watch and money, together with his passport to return home, in recognition of his bravery in rescuing a British aviator from a burning aeroplane.

## ART F. DECKER, who reads Oakland TRIBUNE in Tientsin, China.



## French Fear Attack From Prohibitionists

PARIS, Feb. 7.—Big French wine manufacturers and wine growers are beginning to take steps to defend their interests against a prohibition campaign threatened from the United States. Reports of the progress of the "Pussyfoot" Johnson dry movement in England and rumors that some of the "Pussyfooters" already have reached France from America have stirred the wine men to action. A committee appointed by the National Syndicate and International Wine Committee has held several meetings to determine what course shall be pursued.

## TRIBUNE BRINGS JOY TO SOLDIER

It's a long cry from Tientsin, China, to Fourteenth and Broadway, but Private Art F. Decker of the Fifteenth United States Infantry does not mind the distance nearly so much since the home-town paper finally began arriving in his mail. Up against a pagoda that sizes up well with the city hall, Decker has been reading The TRIBUNE down to the very last word since it began arriving, and he has written the several thousand miles back home to express his gratitude.

Incidentally, though not aspiring to the Oakland laureateship, he has expressed it partially in verse, after this wise:

"I sit by a Chinese pagoda  
Reading the news of home.  
And the different things a-happening.  
Away across the foam.

"It's great to be a-reading  
On a sunny afternoon.  
When you have a newsy paper  
Like The Oakland TRIBUNE."  
Decker is well known in this city. He is attached to the Siberian expeditionary forces.

**FALSE TEETH SWALLOWED.**

CENTRALIA, Kan., Feb. 7.—Mrs. Silas Dinkley of this place swallowed a bridge containing four teeth while eating supper a few nights ago, but didn't discover the loss of the teeth until she had finished the meal. She was immediately rushed to a physician's office for an X-ray examination and operation.

China is negotiating for the purchase of 100 submarines.

## NAME "BAYER" ON GENUINE ASPIRIN

Take tablets only as told in each "Bayer" package.

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" to be genuine must be marked with the "Bayer Cross," just like your check must have your signature.

Always look for the "Bayer Cross." Then you are getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for over eighteen years. In the "Bayer" package are safe and proper directions for Colds, Headache, Toothache, Earache, Neuritis, Lumbago, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Joint Pains, and Pain generally. Handy tin boxes of twelve tablets cost but a few cents. Druggists also sell larger "Bayer" packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monacaleuadester of Salicylicacid.—Advertisement.

## Cancelled Stamps Aid Service Men's Quest

LONDON, Feb. 7.—New Zealand, land of experiment, shows a new trick in its efforts at absorbing the unemployed ex-soldiers into industry. Letters received here show the cancelling stamp of the New Zealand postoffice bears the words: "We've got a man if you've got a job."

You have until Tuesday to contribute to the Y. W. C. A. fund. Do your part to help the girls of Oakland.

# Your Home Expresses You—

The rooms in which you live express your character and taste quite as much as your attire does. Be genuine and buy the furnishings you like, not what someone else tells you you ought to have. And if you think you can't afford as fine furniture as you like, remember Breuner's easy terms will help you.

## For the Living Room—

### Three-piece Jacobean suite

The three-piece living room suites, with settee, rocker and arm chair are very new. The one illustrated is of solid oak, Jacobean finish, and is upholstered in a pretty striped tanestrv. The three pieces complete for

**\$145.00**  
May be had for \$15 down

## William and Mary Table in Walnut or Oak

Reproductions of the William and Mary period are admirably suited to homes of moderate size. The table illustrated comes in fumed oak, 42-inch width, six foot extension, at **\$32.50**. The same period table, 45 inch width, in walnut is priced at **\$52.50**.

Panel backed dining chairs in walnut, to match the table are **\$11.50** each.

Terms, of course.

## Sonora

CLEAR AS A BELL

The Sonora can be bought only at Breuner's in Oakland. It plays all records, and is famed for its pure tone. "The Nocturne" model is priced at

**\$160.00**  
\$16 down—\$12 monthly

## Imported Curtains Arrive

From St. Gaul, Switzerland, two long delayed shipments of Irish Point, Point Geneva, Point de Gene and the latest novelties in fine Brussels net curtains have arrived. It has been several years since we have had so extensive a showing of imported curtains. Prices range from **\$10.50** to **\$30.00** a pair.

## YOUR BABY

would sleep soundly in this white enameled wood crib, and would not outgrow it until five or six years old. It has drop sides, a link fabric spring, and is priced at

**\$14.85**  
\$1.50 down—\$1.50 monthly

## De Luxe Grass Rugs

The grass rug used to be used mainly for summer, but not so these days. People like the light weight, the pretty colors and the low prices of these rugs, and buy them every day of the year. Now comes the De Luxe Grass Rug, a heavier and longer wearing grass rug than has heretofore been made. Many patterns, 9x12 feet size, at

**\$28.00**

# Breuner's

Clay at Fifteenth

# Wedgewood

—the range used in our cooking classes

If you attended Breuner's free cooking classes last week you know what wonderful dishes were served. The same ingredients and the same care in preparation might have produced very different results on a less good range. Mrs. Dwelle, Boston Cooking School graduate, frankly prefers the Wedgewood Gas Range with Kitchen Heater, illustrated above.

This is a high-grade gas range, made of Armco rust-resisting iron, the kind that goes into our battleships. It has every modern appliance and convenience. An added feature is the two-plate cast iron firebox for burning wood or coal when desired. This means that the chill may be taken off the kitchen, and papers and garbage be readily disposed of.

**Trade in your old stove and have this range set up in your kitchen on terms of**

**\$12.50 down—\$10.00 monthly**

This range is sold in Oakland only at Breuner's

## Free Cooking Lessons all the coming week

Whether you were able to attend last week or not, be sure to visit some of the classes during the coming week. You've no idea how many time and labor-saving ideas Mrs. Dwelle gives out, along with her excellent recipes.

### Monday's Menu

**MORNING—10:30**

Omelets  
Baking Powder Biscuits  
Pop Overs

**AFTERNOON—2:30**

Broiled Chops  
Potato Nests Green Peas  
Orange Cream

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# COGHLAN TO AID DEFENSE OF WHITNEY

Nate Coghlan, prominent San Francisco attorney, will appear in Judge James G. Quinn's court tomorrow to defend Miss Anna Whitney against the charge of criminal syndicalism when her trial resumes. It has been postponed since Thursday because of the illness of Juror A. Thompson, who has now so far recovered, however, that re-

sumption of the trial is deemed expedient. Coghlan will take the place of the late Thomas M. O'Connor, whose death occurred yesterday from influenza. Arrangements for funeral services for O'Connor are being made. O'Connor was taken ill a week ago Friday, and a temporary postponement of the case resulted. Pleas to the court to extend this continuance until O'Connor could return on the ground that inability to attend the trial was proving a meretricious deterrent to O'Connor's recovery were denied. Coghlan has been associated from time to time with O'Connor in important cases, particularly the trial of Rena Mooney.

## Milwaukee Hotels Buy Sea Gull Eggs

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 7.—Freshly laid eggs are selling here at 60 cents a dozen. Traffic Patrolman Emil Bustow has given the high cost of living a jolt by holding a sale of from thirteen to fourteen dozen strictly fresh eggs daily. Those doubting Bustow's claims of freshness are invited to help him gather them. They are sea gull eggs. Some of the hotels here are his best customers, says Bustow.

He admitted that his southern trip had had reference to the case of Miss Whitney. He said the trip was, however, of no particular significance. He refused further information.

Superior courts of this county adjourned shortly before noon yesterday in connection with O'Connor's memory.

## Prohibition Is Reducing Stout Figures Bay Tailors Are Busy Altering Clothing Death of Malt and Hop Drinks Noted

Echoes of the prohibition amendment, which have reverberated in strange and unlooked for places, have been heard in the tailoring shops of the Eastbay cities.

In increasing numbers there have come to these shops a class of customers with but one object in view, a sad and doleful crowd who would have their suits altered even as the dry law has altered their figures.

The old fashioned "bay window" has gone out, is the way one tailor puts it. With no chance to drink the fattening malt and hop

beverages, there is a large part of the population that is becoming thin. Trousers and vests, and coats must be made over, and with each week some of our most prominent figures are becoming less noticeable.

A stoutish man with a bundle under his arm nowadays means but one thing.

### NURSE SUES DOCTORS.

Dr. W. W. Kegan, Dr. F. F. Canac and Dr. Leon R. Dupuch were sued for \$25,000 damages yesterday by Anna L. Wanser, a nurse, who alleges malpractice.

## MOTHER KIDNAPS HER OWN CHILD

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—Police are tonight searching the bay district for Mrs. Marie Wilson, formerly of Oakland, but who for the last year and a half has resided in this city, on a warrant issued today by Judge Owens charging her with the kidnapping of her own child.

Mrs. Elmina Jensen made the charge. She said she had legally adopted Mrs. Wilson's daughter after Mrs. Wilson had neglected her. Mrs. Wilson, according to Mrs. Jensen, has been in possession of her daughter twice since the adoption. Each time Mrs. Jensen was successful in persuading Mrs. Wil-

## Film-Struck Girls Will Return Today

ALAMEDA, Feb. 7.—Cora and Adelaide Seller, 12-year-old twins who ran away from home this week and took steamship passage to Los Angeles to become movie queens, will arrive home tomorrow in charge of their father, Thomas Seller, of 1317 Court street. After the parents of the girls found that the twins had sailed for the south on the Admiral Dewey the captain of the vessel was asked to hold them aboard the ship and the father went south by train to bring them back. They started on their adventure with sixty dollars in currency they discovered in a bureau drawer at home. They left home Thursday morning, ostensibly for school, but instead went to San Francisco and bought passage on the vessel.

son to give the girl back. A week ago Mrs. Wilson had in wait for the girl and disappeared with her, according to Mrs. Jensen.

## Health Officer Says Flu is Not Serious

ALAMEDA, Feb. 7.—The flu situation in Alameda is not showing alarming proportions, according to City Physician Arthur Hieronymus, who said today that the daily report of cases showed a fairly satisfactory condition. There were 64 new cases reported yesterday and today up until noon. To date there have been 598 cases reported during the present outbreak, with 14 deaths. There were five or six times this total number of cases a year ago, with the deaths in about the same excess ratio over the showing for the present epidemic.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 7.—Amelia Parker, 80 years of age, who was found unconscious from gas fumes in her apartment at 2201 Central avenue yesterday morning, will recover. It is believed that the gas jet in her apartment was turned on accidentally.

# Capwells Beginning Monday Capwells



## A Great Sale of Curtains and Draperies

### Special Purchases and reductions from Stock



Voile, Scrim, Marquisette, Filet, Net, Arabian, Marie Antoinette and Irish Point Curtains. Potent in inspiration for home furnishing, both in ideas and money saving. Curtains that in many instances are selling wholesale today for our retail price. Housekeepers, hotel and apartment house managers should take notice.

(Sale in Our Third Floor Home Decorating Section)

Extra Salespeople—Every Curtain Perfect.

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| <b>Voile Curtains \$1.35</b><br>Sale price, pair.....<br>Value extraordinary! Attractive voile curtains, hemstitched and with edging or insertion of lace, 2 1/2 yards long. Buy now and save<br><b>At \$3.95 Pair</b><br>Handsome marquisette, voile and filet weave curtains of good quality. Will wear well. Underpriced for the sale<br><b>At \$4.35 Pair</b><br>Splendid values in marquisette and filet curtains in ivory and ecru. Attractive designs.<br><b>At \$4.95 Pair</b><br>Marquisette curtains with wide insertions and very pretty lace edges. Seven handsome new patterns to choose from. | <b>Scrim, Voile and Marquisette Curtains \$1.95</b><br>Plain hemstitched, others with edges and still others with insertion trimming. 2 1/2 yards long. Their present market price is much higher.<br><b>At \$5.45 Pair</b><br>Six beautiful new patterns in voile, marquisette and filet curtains. Wonderful values at only \$5.45 pair<br><b>At \$5.95 Pair</b><br>A choice sales grouping of curtains consisting of cable nets, bobinets and filets. Don't miss these savings<br><b>At \$6.65 Pair</b><br>New marquisette curtains of unusual beauty, being copies of finest imported models. With clumsy insertion and detached motifs in borders. Special for this sale! | <b>Marquisette Curtains \$2.15</b><br>Sale price, pair.....<br>Ivory marquisette curtains priced much below present market prices. With attractive lace edgings and hemstitching. | <b>Scrim Curtains \$2.65</b><br>Sale price, pair.....<br>Drawn work and corner motifs adorn these good quality curtains. Hang correctly and well made. Unusual savings. | <b>Lace and Filet Curtains \$2.85</b><br>Two choice sales lots. The first consisting of lace curtains, filet and lace weaves, in white and ivory. Also marquisette curtains with lace edge. Remarkable values.<br><b>Filet Curtains</b><br>Sale price, pair.....<br>Well made, attractive filet curtains with lace edge. |
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### Imported Irish Point Curtains \$6.95

These handsome Irish point curtains are made in Switzerland, and if purchased today, would be many times more than this price. Exceptional opportunity.

**Irish Point and Marie Antoinette Curtains; sale price, pair, \$7.45**  
 Imported Irish point and Marie Antoinette curtains in fashionable designs. Priced very low for this sale.

**Irish Point Curtains at Three Low Sale Prices**  
 Imported Irish Point Curtains of unusual beauty. In ivory color. Well cut and nicely made. Extraordinary values. Pair

**\$12.65**
**\$13.95**
**\$14.85**

**Copies of Hand-Made Filet Curtains, \$9.95 and \$11.95.**  
 Many copies of fine hand-made filet curtains, some with beautiful embroidery. Very attractive at the window and hang true and straight. Big values.

—Third Floor

**Sale of Curtains**  
 Marquisette curtains and dotted grenadine curtains with insertions and edges. A decided asset to the beauty of the home. **\$3.45**

**Sale of Curtains**  
 Splendid opportunity to secure good quality voile and cable net curtains at savings. Correctly cut and well made. **\$3.65**



## More Spring Frocks Reveal Delightful Newness

Newness radiates from every detail of design, treatment, color and fabric combination, from the different Spring shades, from the trimming touches. Women who recognize dress style award these charming newcomers an instant place in their spring wardrobes. Never was there such a wide register of styles—ranging all the bewitching way from the graceful straight-line to the piquant bouffant effects.

### Silk Frocks

For Sports, Afternoon  
And General Wear

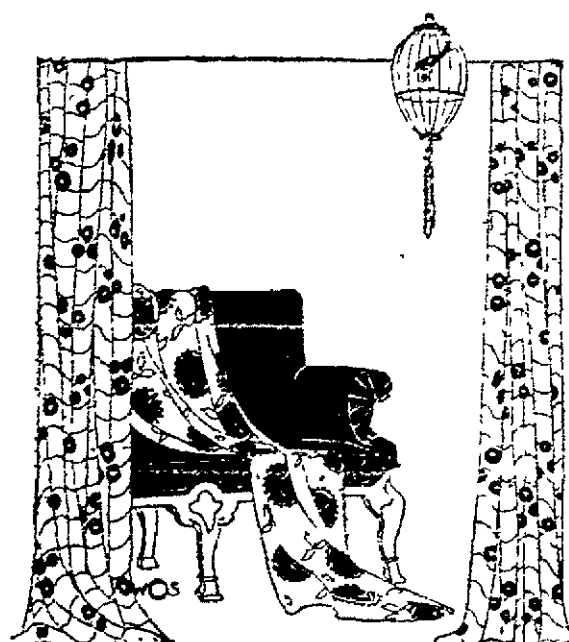
More new arrivals in tulle, satin, ucollede, Georgette, radium and charmeuse join ranks with advance Spring gowns of Fan-ta-si, Shantung, crepe de chine, dewkast and voile.

Bodices for the most part are simple; neck styles are round, square or "V" shaped, finished with attractive frills, pleatings, lace and embroidered Georgette. Short sleeves are newest though long ones are still favored. And they may be fitted or full, set-in or kimono. Skirts vary from the mediumly narrow to the new circular skirts, while others have bouffant puffings and draping at the hip line or the new full tunic.

Beading, especially in opalescent shades, pleatings, frills and touches of Angora worsted embroidery and ribbon predominate in the trimmings. The color range is wonderful. Priced from \$37.50 to \$180.00.

—Second Floor

## A Wonderful Economy Sale of Fashionable Drapery Fabrics



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| <b>Cretounes 39c</b><br>Formerly to \$1.00 yard, for.....<br>A splendid selection of patterns and colorings in both light and dark shades. 36 inches wide, firmly woven and nicely finished. Big bargain. | <b>Scotch Madras 95c</b><br>Sale price, yard.....<br>A very fine piece for such a low price. 45 inches wide and in natural cream shade. Special for this sale.             |
| <b>Figured Sunfast 79c</b><br>Originally \$1.50 yard, for.....<br>Marked almost half price. Exceptionally fine values in single-width figured sunfast. Good range of colors.                              | <b>Curtain Nets 56c</b><br>Sale price, yard.....<br>A most desirable sales grouping of all-over and filet nets at much lower price than usual. Width from 36 to 50 inches. |

### Curtain Fabrics Specially Priced

New fabrics specially assembled for this sale at pricings much below regular. These sales lots include:

**Filet Nets**  
**Madras**  
**Nottingham**

**Fish Nets**  
**Novelty Weaves**  
**and others**

Firmly woven, nicely finished and of good quality.

**SALE PRICES, yard 45c, 65c, 85c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.**

—Third Floor



PLOT THEORY  
OUTLINED AT  
I. W. W. TRIAL

By CLEM J. RANDAU,  
United Press Staff Correspondent.  
GRAYS HARBOR COURT-  
HOUSE, MONTESANO, Wash.,  
Feb. 7.—The State will stand on  
the contention that no attack was  
made by members of the American  
Legion on the I. W. W. hall at Central  
Armistice day, it became  
known today.

Outlining the position of the  
prosecution in the trial of the eleven  
alleged I. W. W. who are charged  
with the murder of Warren O.  
Grimm, Herman Allen, prosecuting  
attorney of Lewis county, laid par-  
ticular stress on the State's conten-  
tion that the plot to kill the ex-  
soldiers was laid some time before  
the shooting.

Immediately following the open-  
ing statement for the prosecution,  
Defense Attorney Vanderveer asked  
that Allen definitely announce the  
stand to be taken by the State.

"We want to know whether you  
will take the position throughout  
the trial that there was no attack  
on the I. W. W. hall before the  
shooting," Vanderveer demanded.

**POSITION DEFINED**  
"Our position is that the boys  
were standing in the street in mili-  
tary formation when they were fired  
upon," Allen responded.

"Then there was no attack on the  
hall and the doors were not  
knocked and before there was any  
shooting, according to your position?"  
Vanderveer queried.

"That's our position," Special  
Prosecutor Abel replied.

Vanderveer asked that he be given  
until Monday to prepare his reply  
to the State's case, saying that he  
did not know whether he would  
present his opening statement be-  
fore or after the introduction of  
State's witnesses.

Allen's recital of the contentions  
he said the State would prove fol-  
lowed the selection of the two alter-  
nate jurors today. The fourteenth  
juror, James A. Ball, last man on  
the special venire, was passed with-  
out examination.

"The evidence will show that the  
plot to slay the ex-service men was  
laid some time before the shoot-  
ing," Allen said.

**PROSECUTOR SKETCHES LINE**  
"We will prove that the defend-  
ants, Britt Smith, James McGinney,  
Ray Becker, Wesley Everett, Mike  
Sheehan, Bert Faulkner and possi-  
bly one or two others were in the  
I. W. W. hall at the time of the  
shooting. It will be shown that  
Loren Roberts, Bert Bland, and  
one Ole Hanson were shooting from  
Seminary Ridge that Eugene Ear-  
nest was firing from a window in  
the Aravia hotel and that John  
Lamb and O. C. Bland fired di-  
rectly down on the parade from the  
ground floor."

Allen pointed out that the ac-  
cused men were charged only with  
the murder of Warren Grimm,  
though three other persons were  
lost their lives. He called attention  
to the manner in which they were  
shot, saying it would be shown that  
the shots which killed Mac-  
Bilfroh and Ben Cassagrana could  
not have come from the I. W. W.  
hall as they were protected by in-  
tervening brick walls.

Money Circulation  
Over U. S. Increases  
During Last Year

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—  
Money in circulation in the  
United States on February 1  
amounted to \$5,846,000,000,  
an increase of \$120,000,000 in  
one year, the treasury depart-  
ment announced today.

The general stock of money  
in the United States including  
gold held in the treasury for  
the redemption of outstanding  
gold certificates and silver for  
redemption purposes, totals  
\$7,744,000,000, as compared  
with \$7,611,000,000 a year ago.

TENOR EATS  
MUSHROOMS,  
IS POISONED

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—The  
list of persons in this city suffering  
from mushroom poisoning was in-  
creased to ten today when it be-  
came known that the illness of Giuseppe  
Agostini, leading tenor with an  
opera company now appearing here,  
and Signora Agostini was due to  
this cause. They purchased mush-  
rooms at a grocery, cooked them  
in their apartments and almost im-  
mediately were taken ill.

Agostini and his wife were found  
unconscious by a physician whom  
Signora Agostini summoned by tele-  
phone just before she slipped sense-  
less to the floor. Both will live,  
but Agostini is detained from  
further operatic appearances be-  
fore some time next week.

Members of the family of J. E.  
Nolan, policeman, six in number  
were poisoned by mushrooms last  
night and two women, Mrs. Mary  
Erickson and Mrs. Mary Dugan,  
have been similarly poisoned. The  
vegetables which the Nolans ate  
were picked in Golden Gate Park.  
All of the persons poisoned are re-  
covering.

Moonshine Still and  
2000 Gallons Seized

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—A  
"moonshine" still and 2000 gallons  
of bonded alcoholic liquors were  
seized in a raid today by federal  
prohibition officers at the Marathoni  
market. Geary and Leavenworth  
streets in the heart of the city. The  
establishment had been openly man-  
ufacturing and selling liquors since  
the prohibition law took effect. Ac-  
cording to W. A. Kelly, prohibition  
supervisor who personally conducted  
the raid.

Pete Jeffery and his wife, the pro-  
prietors of the market who are  
charged with operating a still, be-  
sides violating the liquor law, were  
arrested tonight by federal authori-  
ties.

PREMIER OF  
TULLY PLAY  
COMES HERE

Oakland will be the scene of the  
premier of the latest play from the  
pen of Richard Walton Tully, author  
of the "Bird of Paradise," "Omar the  
Tentmaker" and other successes that  
have made him nationally famous.

That this city had been selected  
by Tully, who is a former Oakland  
man and student at the University  
of California, was revealed in a  
telegram received last evening by  
John J. McArthur, manager of the  
Liberty Playhouse. The play in all  
probability will be presented on July  
11 to 18 and Chicago and New  
York critics will attend the opening.

Additional interest to the an-  
nouncement and one that adds to the  
Oakland significance of the event is  
that Milton Schwartz, college chum  
of Tully and formerly an attorney  
in this city, aided in the writing of  
the play. Schwartz spent several  
months in New York collaborating  
with Tully last year and returned to  
California to continue the work.

The Tully telegram says a reason  
for the Oakland opening is that the  
revolving stage here will allow him  
to work out certain effects.

The announcement came as a sur-  
prise in theatrical circles, for Tully  
had heretofore produced all of his  
plays in the East. He has just com-  
pleted the translations into Italian,  
French and Portuguese of "The Bird  
of Paradise," which has played in  
America for nine years, and has just  
scored tremendously in Australia and  
London. It will be produced simul-  
taneously in Venice, Paris and  
Lisbon.

Tully first attracted widespread  
attention with "Omar the Tent-  
maker," used by Guy Bates Post. He  
followed it with "The Bird of Para-  
dise," and then "The Flame" was  
offered. The name of the new play  
has not yet been announced and no  
mention of it is made by J. J. McAr-  
thur, who is business manager for  
Tully.

Maine Centennial  
to Be Celebrated

One hundred years ago, on March  
15, the Province of Maine, until  
then a part of Massachusetts, be-  
came a separate State of the Union.  
This year the Centennial is to be  
fittingly observed in every town and  
city, and a big official celebration is  
to be held at Portland from June  
28 to July 5.

Invitations signed by Governor  
Milliken will be sent to every  
Maine-born citizen now living out-  
side of the State, whose address can  
be obtained, and the committee is  
acting on all who claim Maine as their  
birthplace to send their name and  
address to the committee head-  
quarters at Portland and that they may  
receive one of these invitations.

placed for those preferring this di-  
version. A Valentine box will be a  
feature of the evening. A cordial  
invitation is extended not only to  
members of the society but to their  
friends.

"Pony Girls" Will Give Specialty at  
American Legion Dance and Pageant

Three of the "Pony Girls" in the military dancing spectacle to be given under the direction of Miss Louise Jorgensen at the American Legion costume ball. Left to right are MARJORIE GROSS, KATHLEEN HARRISON and LILIAN ENGINAWACU.

Storm in Montana  
is Moving Eastward

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The U. S.  
weather bureau today announced  
that another storm is centered north  
of Montana, apparently moving east-  
ward.

As a special feature event of the  
grand costume ball and pageant to  
be given Thursday night in the  
Municipal Auditorium by Oakland  
Post of the American Legion, Miss  
Louise Jorgensen, a talented local  
dancer, will offer a novel dancing  
spectacle with twelve "Pony Girls."

Emphasizing the military nature  
of the occasion, Miss Jorgensen and  
her artists have created an original  
dancing specialty to be given for the  
first time at the ball, known as "The  
Dance of the Nation." An elaborate  
costuming effect is being prepared  
for the dance, and an unusual light-  
ing effect will be used.

**COMMITTEE IN CHARGE**  
The committee in charge of the  
ball, which is headed by Major Wil-  
liam D. Barber, has named the fol-  
lowing as members or committees  
to judge the costumes: Captain  
Walter J. Petersen, president of  
Oakland Post of the American Leg-  
ion; Mrs. H. L. Shute, president of  
the Women's Auxiliary of Oakland  
Post; Judge Mortimer Smith, Miss  
Clarissa Taft, Mrs. A. W. Peckay,  
Jesse Robinson, Max Horwinski,  
Herman Johnson and Mrs. A. F.  
Maine.

The committee will pass judgment  
on the costumes and will award the  
gold coin prizes offered for the most  
original and complete costumes, and  
the ball committee has issued a re-  
quest that all guests attend in cos-  
tume, and that dress suits will be  
barred.

Another added feature of the ball  
will be a novel dance number to be  
held at 10:30 o'clock, the music for  
which will be played by the orches-  
tra of the Fairmont hotel in San  
Francisco and transmitted to the  
auditorium over a wireless telephone  
apparatus of the National Radio  
Company, the sound to be magnified  
at the auditorium by the use of a  
megaphone.

**ATHLETIC TEAM APPEARS**  
A third feature will be afforded  
in the appearance of the famous A.  
E. P. athletic team, consisting of  
Johnny and Al White, formerly  
members of the 143d field artillery,  
who entertained the army in Amer-  
ica and were on tour in France.

Tickets have been placed on sale  
in the Liberty hut, Fourteenth street  
and San Pablo avenue; the Defend-  
ers' Club, 1444 San Pablo avenue;  
the American Legion office, 815  
Sundridge building; the headquar-  
ters of the ball committee in room  
414 of the Syndicate building; and  
in the University of California  
stores.

If they are  
Kittredge Glasses  
They are satisfactory Glasses.

Kittredge  
OPTICIAN

1310 Washington St., Oakland

Machine Gun for  
Each County; and  
Cannon Left Over

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—  
The American army captured  
so many cannon and heavy  
machine guns that congress-  
men could distribute one to  
each county, Representative  
Kahn, California, chairman of  
the House military committee,  
told the House today.

"The army captured 1300  
cannon and 4000 heavy ma-  
chine guns," Kahn said, "and  
there are only 4000 counties in  
the country. How these tro-  
phies will be divided has not  
yet been decided."

Nearly 4000 bills for the  
distribution of the cannon to  
as many counties have been  
introduced.

GARBAGE PROBE  
TO BE CONTINUED

Another meeting of the committee  
named by the City Council to in-  
vestigate the garbage situation and re-  
port a solution of the problem will  
be held next week for a further  
probe of the question.

The first meeting of the re-  
organized committee was held Fri-  
day afternoon, when Commissioner  
W. H. Edwards was selected chair-  
man and City Attorney H. L. Hagan  
secretary of the body. The other  
members are City Engineer Marston  
Campbell and Harbor Engineer K. S.  
Heck.

Reports on the garbage situation  
from all official and unofficial  
sources were considered and offers  
of the Universal Conservation Com-  
pany to erect garbage reduction  
plants to be run under contract with  
the city, were gone over.

As a result, the committee issued  
a request to both concerns to fur-  
nish the committee with working  
plans of the two proposed plants  
so that an engineer can judge of the  
capacity and efficiency of the two  
systems offered.

Wife Demands Share  
of Schaefer's Income

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—Young  
Jake Schaefer, billiard expert, today  
was sued for divorce by Mrs. Ger-  
trude Schaefer. She declares he  
struck her in the face on a public  
street.

Mrs. Schaefer asks that he be  
compelled to give her as alimony  
\$150 of the \$100 which she claims  
he earns monthly. They were mar-  
ried in San Jose in 1917.

MRS. DEEGAN  
HAPPY; WILL  
WED CROUCH

Plain, wife of old philosopher, is  
once again been confounded. His  
deceives have deserted. Mrs. Violet  
Deegan, divorced wife of Major  
William F. Deegan, radiating happi-  
ness, confessed yesterday that she  
would most certainly wed—and that  
soon—Albert W. Crouch, naval  
architect whose name her three  
children, who the couple lived together in  
a cozy fruitvale bungalow. Mrs. Deeg-  
an and Crouch at the time main-  
tained that their relations were  
purely platonic.

"I cannot believe that the divorce  
has really been granted," Mrs. Deeg-  
an exclaimed. "It is all a perfect  
surprise to me. All I really know is  
what I have seen in the papers, but  
it makes me happier than I can  
know that everything is coming  
out all right for us."

To Major Deegan and Mrs. Joan  
C. Crouch, wife of Crouch, who  
lives at Xanthe's name her three  
children, were granted decrees of  
divorce by Justice Hendricks of the  
New York superior bench Friday.

Mrs. Deegan and Crouch are now  
free to wed outside of New York  
State.

"I have not heard from Mr.  
Crouch, of course, since the decrees  
were granted, and we have made no  
plans, but certainly our marriage  
will take place. Whether he will  
come west or whether I will go east  
will be decided later," she declared.

According to Mrs. Deegan, she and  
Crouch have been in frequent com-  
munication since he was returned to  
New York State to answer to charges  
of abandonment.

A young son was left with Major  
Deegan when Mrs. Deegan came to  
California. In answer to a query as  
to whom the child was awarded, she  
replied:

"I know nothing about it."

The Deegan-Crouch case has held  
popular interest for nearly a year  
following revelations by Major Deeg-  
an in New York that his wife and  
Crouch were living together in Oak-  
land. Crouch sought to bring di-  
vorce proceedings against his wife  
by naming William Brigham Brown,  
the father of the third child in the  
family, Albert W. Crouch Jr. A legal  
battle to frustrate attempts to return  
him to New York was fought in the  
Oakland courts. Police Inspector  
Thomas Woods was responsible for  
the trap which placed him on an  
eastbound train before his attorneys  
could obtain a restraining order from  
the Federal court.

Mrs. Deegan has remained in Oak-  
land. She claims to have no knowl-  
edge of the progress of the suit in  
which Crouch is held.

Emphasis was given throughout  
the various trials in the superior  
court here that the relationship be-  
tween Mrs. Deegan and Crouch was  
platonic.

LOOKS GOOD TO EVERYBODY!

Old Time Prices—  
for New Style Shoes

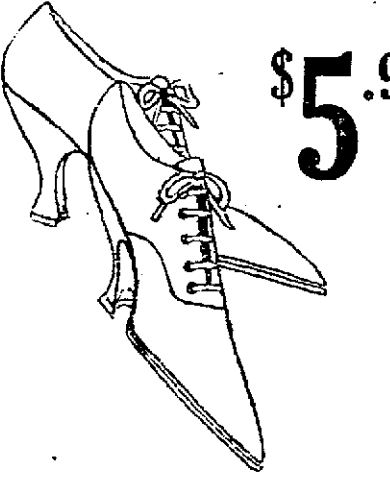
Pumps, Oxfords and Boots



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# POLICE SEEK ASSASSIN OF LABOR HEAD

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Authorities continued their investigation tonight into the murder of Maurice "Boss" Bright, labor leader and gunman, after a day of sensational developments which, it was believed, marked a near approach to the identification of the murderer.

Tony Cifaldo, recently released from the penitentiary, was held by police tonight. Michael Carrozzo, president of the street cleaners' union, partially identified as the driver of the automobile used by the assassin, was released on \$10,000 bonds.

In one of their prisoners police believe they have the man who fired the sawed-off shotgun that brought to a close the career of a gunman equal in excitement and quick on the draw gun fighting to that of the approved "movie" wild west.

Carrozzo, who, as a lieutenant of "Big Tim" Murphy, president of the house workers' union and chief of the Enright, took an active part in the labor war which culminated in the murder, admitted that he knew Cifaldo.

The police secured during the day identification of the automobile seized last night as that used by the murderers. The owner, Rudolph Esposito, related that he could prove the car was standing in front of a South Side saloon at the time the killing occurred.

Precautions were redoubled to prevent the renewal of the bloody feud between labor factions.

There are 101,506 Indians in the five civilized tribes.

# Police Called Out to Locate Missing Venus

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—"Possibly lost, but most likely led astray, one perfect thirty-six, reported kidnapped from the drygoods store of John Borhak."

This report revived the spirit of knight errantry in Chicago police stations. When last seen the missing Venus was wearing a plush cloak with a fur collar, a blue silk gown, silk stockings, black shoes and—nothing else.

"I think a posse ran away with her," said Borhak.

"What's her name?"

"Name? She hasn't any. She's a wax model."

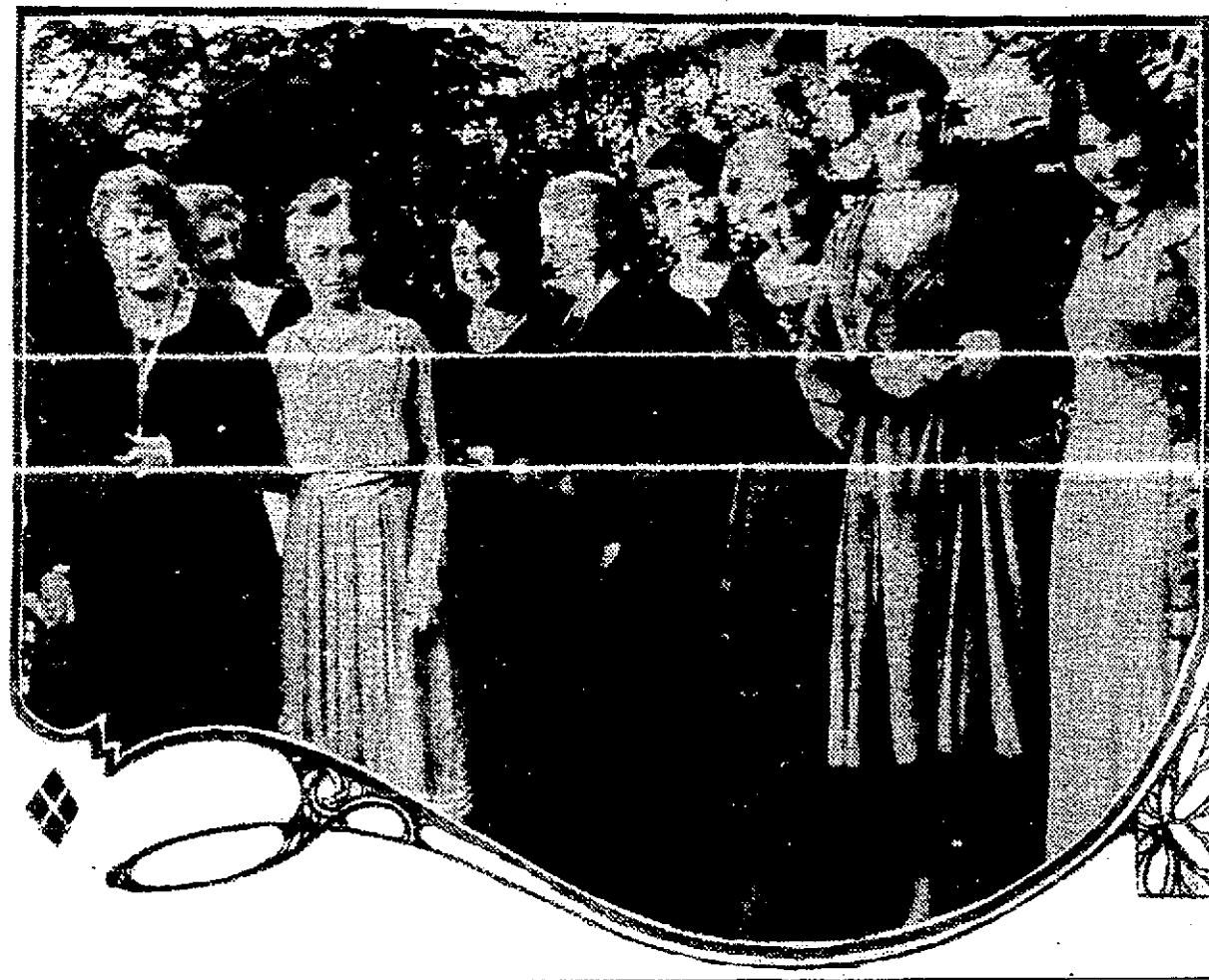
# Marine Trumpeter and Buglers Please

Two of the most popular features in the benefit given for homeless children at the Oakland Auditorium Thursday night were contributed by members of the Marine band, who came from San Francisco for the occasion. These service men are given special mention by County Auditor E. F. Garrison, chairman of the entertainment committee for the Native Sons and Native Daughters, for the great success of the benefit.

The Marines who contributed their services are Sergeant Thomas Manco, Marine's champion trumpeter, who thrilled the audience with his masterly playing; Corporals Arndt and Warner, who gave harmony selections on bugles; and Corporal Leo Clifford, the Jewish monologist, who rocked the audience with laughter.

**AUTOS CROSS RIVER ON ICE.**  
ALBANY, Feb. 7.—The Hudson river is completely frozen over from Albany to Hastings-on-Hudson. The chickens on the ice is twenty-four inches in the channel. People are walking across and sleighs or automobiles have been making the trip to the foot of the Palisades.

# Elaborate Masquerade Ball Will Be Given by St. Leo's Parish This Week



Some of the women who will take part in the management of the masquerade ball to be given under the auspices of St. Leo's Parish. From left to right: MRS. J. ERRINGTON, MRS. M. TOBRINER, MRS. SAMUEL THORNTON, MRS. A. DULFER, MRS. M. J. BROPHY, MRS. C. A. DEPUY, MRS. J. S. HANCOCK, MRS. HUBERT QUINN, MRS. MARK TOY.

# Variety of Lavish and Grotesque Costumes Promise To Make Affair Most Colorful.

A variety of costumes, lavish and grotesque, will make of the masquerade ball to be given by St. Leo's parish at Hotel Oakland on February 12 one of the most surprising and colorful events of the season.

Behind the plans for the affair are a group of young men and women of the parish and to sponsor.

It is a large number of society women. The plans for the masquerade call for costumes for everyone and prizes for the winners in the various classes.

Between the dances there will be a program of musical numbers featuring a double quartet and a number of soloists.

# Influenza Ties Up Railroad Traffic

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Influenza has wrought havoc in the ranks of railroad employees, seriously crippling the operating forces on some roads and necessitating curtailments in service on some lines, Director General Hines announced today. Bad weather also is a contributing factor in delaying the movement of trains. Because of the tie-up of equipment and congestions at various points employees have been laid on some divisions, particularly the eastern, against certain classes of freight.

# LIQUOR ALLOWED 'FLU' PATIENTS

Physicians can now obtain all the liquor necessary with which to combat the influenza epidemic. A ruling made yesterday by Justice Wardell, collector of internal revenue, allows doctors to take out special permits to purchase limited quantities of liquor for emergency cases. The physician must first make application to Justice Wardell. He may then buy all the liquor he wants from any druggist authorized to sell liquor. Each sale must be made upon the presentation of a certificate signed by him.

The physician will not be required to furnish a bond as in the case of liquor dealers. He will be permitted to carry whisky in his automobile when making professional calls, providing he first obtains the necessary permit.

Collector Wardell says the standing of the physician in the community in which he practices will be taken into consideration in granting the emergency liquor permits. None but reputable doctors will be able to secure these permits.

**LEGAL NOTICES.**  
**NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.**  
The annual meeting of the Fabrics Hospital Association to elect a board of directors, and to transact such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Association, corner of New Broadway and Moss avenues, Oakland, California, Friday, February 6, 1920, at 2 P. M.  
MRS. CHARLES LEONARD SMITH, Corresponding Secretary.  
**ANNUAL MEETING.**  
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Western Casket Company will be held at the office of the corporation, 320 Tenth Street, Oakland, Cal., Tuesday, February 10, 1920, at the hour of 8 p. m., for the election of a board of directors to serve during the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.  
W. H. MAYHEW, Secretary.

# CAMPFIRE BOARD PLANS ACTIVITIES

At a meeting of the Eastbay Guardians' Association of Camp Fire Girls, which was held in the offices of the recreation department in the city hall, a re-organization of Camp Fire was effected. An executive board was elected and nominations made for standing committees to take charge of the various activities. The following members compose the executive board: Miss Ruth Findlay, Oakland, president; Miss Olive Perks, Hayward, vice-president; Mrs. A. S. Kibbe, Berkeley, secretary; Miss Anna Ronaldson, Berkeley, treasurer.

The Guardians' association will meet on the first Tuesday of each month and a varied program of activities for the girls is being discussed for the coming year. There are fourteen campfire groups in the Eastbay district at present and a summer camp is contemplated during the school vacation. Camp Fire is a national organization made up of groups of girls who want to make life just as splendid as possible. They are seeking to develop the spirit of the home so that it will influence the entire community.

# Assault at Dance Defendant Convicted

Louis Croselli, charged with assault with a deadly weapon, has been convicted by a jury in Judge L. S. Church's court after an hour's deliberation. Croselli was accused of attacking with a knife at a dance Tony Ferro, the husband of his stepdaughter. Deputy District Attorney O. D. Hamlin Jr., conducted the prosecution, while Attorney Henry Skinner appeared for the defense.

# Teeth Affect Health—How?

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# ARMENIAN HEROINE TO SPEAK HERE

Lady Ann Azgabetian, wife of the commander of the Armenian army, is coming to Oakland this week to be the guest of the Oakland Near East relief committee, and will speak Tuesday at a mass meeting in the First Congregational church, at 2:30 o'clock.

Lady Azgabetian is not only a heroine in Armenia but was given special honors in Russia during the war because of her work in the Russian army hospitals. She will speak, however, of her native country and its need of sympathy and assistance.

**HASTE IS URGED.**  
"Send help before it is too late," is the keynote of the Oakland Near East relief committee, which has just received urgent news to the effect that the situation is now worse than at any other time in that luckless nation's history. The people are eating grass, and in the winter there is little grass.

The Oakland committee is planning to redouble its efforts to send this city's quota to the sufferers. All over Oakland, workers are urging store and factory heads to living the matter to the attention of their employees. No "drive" tactics are being allowed, but it is planned to lay the situation before everyone in Oakland, so that some of the suffering may be alleviated.

The general Near East relief committee has received notice that all except 3 per cent of the Near East relief contributions will be spent in America to purchase food and goods to be sent to the sufferers direct.

# EXECUTIONER DENIED RAISE.

OSSINGTON, N. Y., Feb. 7.—John Hubert, Sing Sing executioner, who recently asked an increase of 66 per cent in his per capita fee for electrocuting murderers, must worry along at the old price. The state prison department rejected a bill boosting the price from \$150 to \$250.

**OPTUM HAIR MADE.**  
DETROIT, Feb. 7.—A hair here police seized \$10,000 worth of optum and a complete outfit for its smoking. Three Chinamen were arrested.

**"TWICE NIGHTLY" SERVICE.**  
LONDON, Feb. 7.—"Twice nightly" services have been successfully instituted at Southend by Rev. E. N. Gowing, who has a seven o'clock congregation arriving while the 5:30 service is progressing.

**WOMAN CHOOSES WHISKY.**  
LONDON, Feb. 7.—Winning the first prize at an "iford" "Whist drive," a woman was given the choice of a bottle of whisky or a pair of silk stockings. After considerable hesitation, she chose the whisky.

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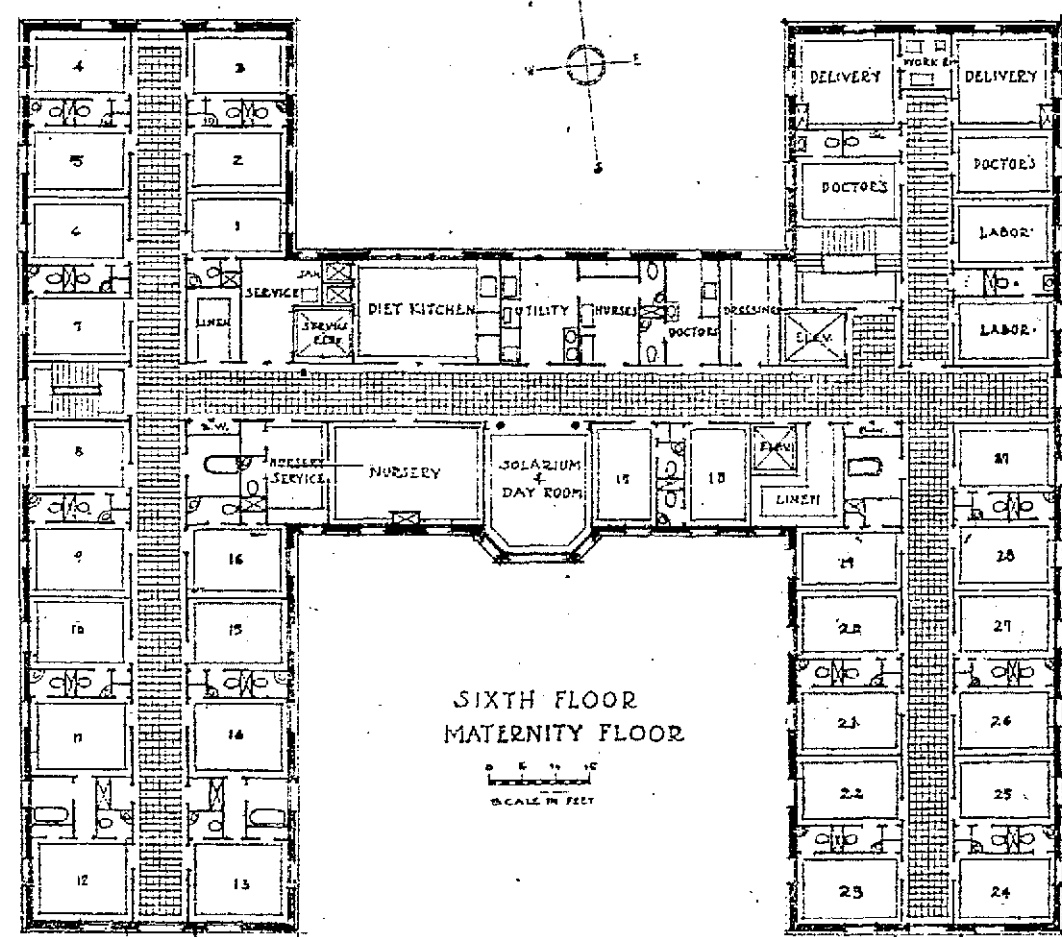
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## TIDELANDS CASE MAY BE ENDED SOON

Efforts are now being made by city officials to bring to an end the long standing legal battle over the tidelands of the old Merritt estate between City and Washington streets and south of First street, and conferences now being held on the issue may result in a settlement of the controversy out of the courts.

Question of the disposition of the two legal cases now pending over the title to the lands, which has been clouded for years, was gone over yesterday at a conference of city officials in the office of City Attorney T. H. Haenel. The possibility of making a settlement was considered.

One suit now pending that has been carried as far as the United States Supreme Court, where it now rests, is a condemnation suit brought by the city several years ago against the Merritt estate. The lower court has already made an award to the city in condemnation, but the decision is being fought.

Another suit is pending, brought by the city in objection to the interests, as a result of the award of condemnation.

The point which is being fought over and which is preventing a settlement of the issue is the question of whether or not the city is entitled under the condemnation to the lands extending to the original old low tide line of 1852, or to the present low tide line formed by the recession of the estuary waters. The city claims title as far as the present low tide line.

## Wet Violation Cases Set for Wednesday

Edward Simon, a druggist, and Claude Glover, both of Oakland, pleaded guilty to charges of violating the national prohibition amendment when they were arraigned yesterday before U. S. Commissioner Francis J. Krull. Their cases were set for Wednesday and bail fixed at \$500 each. Glover is charged with the sale of one quart of claret. Simon is charged with illegally having wine in his possession.

## Fraternity Will Give Dance Next Friday

The Phi Kappa Chapter of Alameda and the Phi Epsilon Chapter of Oakland of the Kappa Alpha Pi national fraternity will give a formal dance in the Hotel Oakland ballroom next Friday evening. Two hundred invitations to the entertainment have been mailed to members of the fraternity and their friends.

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## Hero of Verdun to Claim Bride On St. Valentine's Day



MISS ALICE WILLIAMS, who will wed Verdun hero on St. Valentine's Day.

## Thomas M. Pinch Will Wed Miss Alice Williams, Berkeley Girl

BERKELEY, Feb. 7.—Befitting a courtship which has been unusually romantic, Miss Alice Williams, charming young daughter of Professor and Mrs. Edward Thomas Williams, has chosen St. Valentine's Day on which to become the bride of Thomas M. Pinch, a hero of Verdun.

The wedding will be celebrated at the Williams home in North Berkeley with only relatives as guests. It will come as the culmination of a romance which has spanned the continent, Miss Williams first meeting Pinch when her father, now on the faculty of the University of California, was attached to the diplomatic service of the United States in Washington, D. C.

Miss Williams was born in China, where her father for many years was in the consular service and later headed the diplomatic corps of the United States in the Orient. Part of her education she acquired in Paris and for the last year has been a student at the University of California.

Pinch served with the American Expeditionary Forces in France and was three times wounded, two times at Soissons and once at Verdun. He has been engaged in studies at the University Farm at Davis.

## License to Take With This "Pome"

Whether poetic license of an inaccurate conception of the longitudes and latitudes of the admitted mis- said in the following "pome" is the question which Fremont High school students are pondering. In the current issue of the student weekly, the "Green and Gold," is the poem, written by Miss Clarissa Decker. It is entitled "My Girl," and starts off as follows:

"She is a blonde,  
A flick, slim blonde,  
She measures six feet two—  
"It should have been 'five,' protests Miss Decker and blames it on to the student printers of Vocational High school where the paper is published.

## Mrs. Mary A. Bulger Dies at San Rafael

Mrs. Mary A. Bulger, widow of Captain Martin Bulger, formerly superintendent of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, died at her home in San Rafael Friday. She was a pioneer, arriving here in the early fifties. Mrs. Bulger is survived by three sons and one daughter: Captain Thomas D. Bulger, of San Francisco; Five Department; Captain John K. Bulger, U. S. supervising inspector of steam vessels; James K. Bulger of the Selby Smelting Works, and Miss Emma F. Bulger.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her son, James K. Bulger, 734 Ashbury street, San Francisco.

## Edwards Explains His Vote in Faneuf Case

Commissioner W. H. Edwards has issued a long statement explaining why he did not vote immediately in favor of the appointment to the civil service board of Colonel Ralph J. Faneuf. Edwards denies that his final decision to vote for ratification of the appointment was in any way a "change of heart," and says that his first refusal was based on a desire to give consideration to the qualifications of the appointee.

The statement complains that Mayor John L. Davis called upon the commissioners "immediately and without previous consideration to confirm such appointment," and then Edwards says: "In the case of Colonel Faneuf, I do not hesitate to say that I entertain no dissatisfaction whatsoever as to his appointment."

## Alumnae of Benicia Raise Mills Funds

Graduates of Benicia Seminary have kept their traditions alive by completing the Mary Atkins scholarship fund for Mills College. In the award of which the donors ask that preference be given descendants of graduates of the forerunner of the western woman's college, or of contributors to the fund. The scholarship carries with it the full course at Mills. The committee which has been most deeply interested in the efforts to establish the fund includes Mrs. Lettie Fiske Peart, Mrs. Mary Wadhams Frost, Mrs. Aggie Bell Hill.

Mary Atkins was the founder of the pioneer women's seminary at Benicia, which was finally absorbed by Mills College.

Benjamin Franklin invented the barometer.

Music teachers advertise—see after "Educational" (Went Ads.)

## LINCOLN GUARD'S WIDOW HONOURED

Mrs. Charles Burchhalter, wife of Prof. Burchhalter of Chabot Observatory, gave a reception at 246 John street in honor of the eightieth birthday of her friend, Mrs. T. W. McClellan. Mrs. McClellan is the widow of Thomas W. McClellan, one of President Lincoln's bodyguard during the Civil War, who was an inmate of the White House during the four years of the struggle. It was his duty to attend the president in all his goings and comings.

Frequently, as a relaxation from his labor, the president would drive to the Soldiers' Home outside the city, have a chat with the wounded soldiers and occasionally pass the night. McClellan remained beside his carriage and remained in personal attendance during such visits. McClellan so endeared himself to the Lincoln household that when the tragedy occurred at Ford's Theatre and Lincoln's body was carried to the Lincoln home, McClellan was requested to attend the funeral "as one of the family." By special act of congress he was granted in his old age, a comfortable pension which he enjoyed for four months before his own death. Mrs. McClellan has always been very active in all humanitarian efforts and in church and church work. Mrs. Burchhalter decorated the reception room with the national colors and flowers. Mrs. McClellan, enthroned in a huge chair, was the picture of old age as it should be. She wore a rose-colored gown of the newest color at her belt. The reception was an assembly of the Friendship Circle of the First Methodist church, of which Mrs. McClellan is a member, beside many other of her admirers. The program of entertainment was varied and delightful. The pastor, Dr. Stevens, and his wife, called to pay their respects. Refreshments were served. The piece de resistance being the huge birthday cake, three stories high, and decorated with many red, white and blue candles, and a small American flag floating from the top.

Mrs. McClellan made the first cut, when a wee, sweet maiden came and handed her an envelope bulging with greenbacks and shining with coin, the gift of her many friends.

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## World's View of U. S. to Be Author's Topic

Belasco Ibanez, Spanish author, will speak Wednesday night in Scottish Rite Temple, Sutter street and West Ninth avenue, San Francisco, under the auspices of the University Extension Department. His subject will be "The United States in the Eyes of the World." The lecture will be in Spanish.

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## Fremont High Cadet Has West Point Place

Notification from army headquarters that he will be one of the two students chosen from California each year for military training at the United States Military Academy at West Point has been received by Fremont Thompson, senior student of the Fremont High school, forty-sixth avenue and Potomac boulevard. In the student R. O. T. C. organization at the school Thompson serves with the student rank of major and has been commanding officer of the student cadet corps since its organization a year ago.

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## STOCKTON MAN HERE FOR DATA AGAINST 'REDS'

Seeking evidence to be used against fourteen alleged "reds" charged with criminal syndicalism, Deputy District Attorney J. Leroy Johnson of Stockton, paid a visit to District Attorney Devoto yesterday. Johnson is associated with District Attorney Edward Van Vranken of San Joaquin county, in the prosecution of these cases. The first trial will open Tuesday. Johnson stated.

## SHINN CONDEMNS 'PIUTE' FORESTRY

By CHARLES H. SHINN

We have lately had a sudden, energetic flare of discussion in California upon the ancient notions of "Piute forestry," whose dead fires seem to have upon so many of our giant landmark pines and sequoias. It can be made to sound very plausible: "Burn off the rubbish, the dead limbs and stubs," the thick undergrowth and chaparral, clear the way for more forest, incidentally get more grass. Besides, all the true beetles destroy so much standing timber." All this by light surface fires, variously called as far as possible under control, and aimed at producing a "smooth forest floor."

The forest experts of the government work are so easily convinced to every sort of "light burnings" because they have seen it in practice, many times, and under all sorts of conditions; so are the foresters of all other countries, of course, that foresters do not desire to burn "stubs" left to be struck by lightning or that they would not burn the "tops" after logging wherever that can be done with safety, in the cool season.

The underlying principles of all scientific forestry, however, are these: Protect the soil; encourage reproduction; fill up the possible gaps in the forest cover—do not make more by surface fires; fight all fires to a finish. Furthermore, as the forester knows, the fire-weakened, fire-scarred tree becomes the prey of forest insects. The main points in all these are reproduction, and soil protection (from loss of humus and from washes). These last are so important that they deserve another little talk later.

## Charles Squires Dies at Residence of Son

BERKELEY, Feb. 7.—Charles Squires, former well-known Chicago insurance man, died today at the home of his son, Bradshaw Squires, 53 Plaza drive, aged 84 years. Residing from business five years ago, Squires came to California to live, first residing in Pasadena. He came to Berkeley two and one-half years ago. He was born in New York.

Squires is survived by a widow, Mary B. Squires, and one son, Bradshaw, and a daughter, Mrs. Edward Rosing. Funeral services will be conducted Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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## FABIOLA HOSPITAL CARES FOR 3,804

Of the \$178,444.00 business conducted by Fabiola Hospital Association for the year ending January 1, \$11,555.78 was free, according to the annual report submitted this week by Mrs. Catherine Chabot Dumont, president of the board of directors. A total of 3,804 patients were given care during the twelve months past, increasing the daily average to 111 patients, or double the number in 1919.

The birth of 574 infants occurred in the hospital while an additional 516 children received care in the children's annex. Of physicians 126 were regular attendants and 26 were called in consultation.

Fabiola hospital came up to the opening of its forty-third year with a balance on hand of \$109,938. Shortage of nurses and increased cost of supplies have added to the burden of administration, officers point out.

The report referring to free service is noteworthy in that it names 118 patients received care at a cost of \$4,420.37; 287 patients received discounted care at a cost of \$6,344.16, and 133 patients received clinic care at a cost of \$11,555.78.

The magnitude of the task of maintaining the larger in the Moss avenue institution may be gleaned from a few interesting figures in the treasurer's report. Milk bills for the year totaled \$8545.77, with the cost of butter and eggs reaching \$12,163.94. Fruit and vegetables cost \$14,955.73; \$3625.35 worth of poultry was purchased. Salaries of resident physicians, pharmacists, superintendent, nurses, etc., amounted to \$24,236.61, with medical and surgical supplies demanding an outlay of \$16,548.13. Bills for heating, fuel and water totaled \$16,722.12. Additional items brought the total to \$178,254.54.

Mrs. J. D. H. Dorn has been re-elected president of the association. The following officers will serve with her: Vice-presidents, Mrs. Isaac L. Itequa, Mrs. Wallace Everson, Mrs. H. J. Knowles; recording secretary, Mrs. D. E. Easterbrook; financial secretary, Mrs. A. D. Wilson; treasurer, Mrs. G. A. Chase; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. L. Smith; directors, Mrs. George W. Duran and Mrs. E. A. Whitaker.

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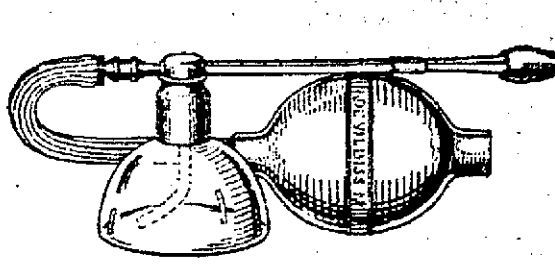
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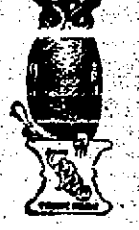
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| Laxative Bromo-Quinine .....            | 25c | Musterine .....                          | 25c    |
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| Kirk Cough Balsam .....                 | 25c | Thompson's Grippe and Cold Tablets ..... | 25c    |
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| Rexall Compound Mustard Ointment .....  | 25c | Drake's Croup Remedy .....               | 25c    |
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## PROGRESS IN RAIL LAW.

An agreement on the two most important points of difference between the Senate and House bills providing for the future regulation of the railroads has been reached by the joint conference of the two houses of Congress. A few days ago a compromise was effected on the provisions designed to prevent strikes on the railroads. Yesterday an agreement was reached in the matter of the rate of net profits which the railroads will be allowed to apply to dividends for the stockholders.

In the first instance, the Senate conferees receded from the provision of the Senate bill prohibiting railroad employees from striking and attaching a penalty for concerted quitting of work. At the same time the House provision for mediation and arbitration was made compulsory upon the railroad operators and employees and a commission is to be created to adjust differences.

In the matter of profit return on the operation of the railroads, the House accepts in principle the Senate proposal and the agreed rate is 5 1/2 per cent on the aggregate value of the railroads for the first two years of resumed private operation. After the expiration of this two-year period the rate of return will be fixed by the Interstate Commerce Commission, which will also be authorized to fix the rates of traffic so as to yield that return. The commission is also to fix the aggregate value of the property used in the rail transportation business.

Two points have pointed out, these were the two main points of contention between the House and the Senate. That they have been settled is a promise that the conference committee report will be finished shortly and the bill ready for the President's signature before March 1, the date on which government operation is to end. Having agreed upon the fundamental differences, the conferees ought easily to reach a compromise on the small details which require reconciling.

The question of a guaranteed net return is important. It introduces a new policy of the federal government toward the common carriers. It is one that seems to be the inevitable result of the government assuming the function—properly so—of adjusting rates of freight and passenger traffic and of taking a prominent role in regulating wages and other costs of railroad maintenance. Having taken over the rate-making powers, it is natural that the government shall establish a limit to the net returns of these rates and at the same time it is the duty of the government to see that the roads earn enough from government-decreed rates to yield a fair profit on capital investment.

But it is vital to the prosperity of the country and to the efficiency of the railroad system that the rate of net return be not so low as to bar the investment of new capital in railroad extensions. Nor must the gross receipts be so appropriated as to kill initiative and energy on the part of railroad operators. The country needs more railroads and better service and both can be provided only out of the surplus earnings of prosperous roads now operating.

## MR. LANE'S RESIGNATION.

Secretary of the Interior Lane has tendered his resignation, to take effect March 1. President Wilson has already announced that he has a successor in mind and will not be at all disconcerted by the retirement of Mr. Lane from his cabinet. This observation was made with some spirit, apparently provoked by Mr. Lane's indiscreet public assumption that, due to the President's illness, his retirement might constitute an embarrassing withdrawal of very valuable service from the government. But the President has indicated him on that point and plainly indicated that no tears of grief will be shed over the new problem of introducing another cabinet member.

Mr. Lane undoubtedly will consider the satisfaction mutual. As previously stated in these columns, the government as at present constituted has ceased to go forward. It is impossible for Mr. Lane to go forward or to entertain the hope that progress will again be possible during the present administration. Not being of the type of official that is content with sitting still, he has decided to quit, but not to deserve the title of "conquerable quitter."

The present Secretary of the Interior repre-

sents the Pacific Coast and the West in the cabinet. It is right that this department should be in charge of a western man, for in this section of the country is to be found the major portion of the labors of the Secretary of the Interior. President Wilson should appoint a western man to succeed Mr. Lane.

## CIVIL SERVICE UPHOLD.

By a decision handed down Friday, concurred in by all the judges, the District Court of Appeals confirmed the judgment of the superior court of Alameda county to the effect that Thomas Hackett of the Oakland Fire Department shall be restored to duty and receive \$1764 back pay unlawfully withheld from him. In May, 1918, Hackett was summarily dismissed from the department, without a hearing, by Commissioner Morse because of alleged insubordination. He appealed to the civil service board for a review of his case.

The civil service board found he had been guilty of disobeying his superior's orders, but changed the punishment from permanent dismissal to loss of two months' pay. The City Council refused, upon advice of the city attorney, to carry out the board's decision and Hackett appealed to the court. Judge A. F. St. Sure of the Alameda superior court, who heard the case, upheld the civil board and the city appealed to the higher court.

In carrying the case to the Court of Appeals the city attorney made all the familiar arguments that have become the spirit and the basis of the scuttling plan against the Civil Service Board perpetrated by Commissioners Morse, Soderberg and Edwards. He made the plea that to accept the judgment of the superior court would be to deprive the elected officials of control over the city employees, to rob them of the power to discipline the employees.

These arguments were palpably fictitious. The commissioners maintain control and the power of discipline over the employees of their department through and subject to review by the Civil Service Board. The Court of Appeals promptly and properly waived the false pleas aside and sustained the judgment of the trial court. The Board of Appeals held that the Civil Service Board was created by and derives its powers from the people. Among its powers is that of review and revision of decisions of the commissioners in regard to municipal employees.

This is exactly in line with the opinions expressed by THE TRIBUNE recently on the scuttling program of the anti-civil service commissioners. It coincides with the view that the integrity of the civil service shall not be destroyed by politicians elected to office, that the restraint against their acts which the Civil Service Board constitutes shall be respected.

The Hackett decision is an important chapter in the history of civil service administration. It means that elected officials must shape their conduct to fit the regulations which the people have enacted. They must respect the law.

## IS IT A WAR DISEASE?

"The idle and vicious hastened to enlist under the banners of those who demanded higher wages, and by riotous demonstrations and by acts of pillage and wanton destruction brought discredit upon honest labor."

"The Communists, largely recruited of late from Europe also availed themselves of the opportunity to swell the excitement and in threatening language to promulgate their theories of liberty and equality."

The above is not taken from any current newspaper nor is it a piece of speculative writing purporting to be the view that the future historian will take of this day and age. The two paragraphs are to be found in Col. Emmons Clark's "History of the Seventh Regiment," published in 1890 and describing conditions existing after the Civil war.

Those who think our present crop of Reds are the first who ever threatened and disappeared will find grounds to admit their mistake in this latest evidence of the repeating abilities of history.

## A NEW PROGRAM.

The American Library Association will render a real service to society if by means of its plan of establishing local community libraries it succeeds in any material extent in one of its aims, namely, the checking of the spirit of unrest now sweeping the United States. The propaganda contemplated will be a splendid auxiliary to the Kernan Americanization bill, should that measure which has already passed the Senate, be ultimately enacted into law. The association will try to secure a wide range of reading for the foreign-born element of the population, and of whom about 5,000,000 do not understand or speak English and know scarcely anything of American history, tradition or ideals. There is no doubt that a very useful purpose can be served by disseminating the ignorance, provided that the task is undertaken in the proper spirit and that the methods employed encourage the varying needs of the different sections of the country.

There is also a field of activity open to the organization among native-born citizens. We are far from being an entirely people, although the recent activities are rather discouraging in that respect, but we are not entirely in the sense of being versed in literature and having it for our own sake and for the cultural improvement. There are many who have pronounced literary tastes want to be writers rather than readers, which in most cases is a great pity. The picture, once upon a time, of the various members of the family seated around the fire on a winter evening, all engaged in reading, is no longer true to life. Of course, more people do read now or past, but the newspapers and magazines are not read and lost to the ephemeral "best sellers" and their short-lived fame. The fault is that whatever reading is done is generally too superficial in character and too superficial in its aims. It does not leave an enduring impression, it is a fact that can be corrected. Let us hope that by giving a persevering and well-directed effort the present state of the new literary movement will enter the realm of the American people of original thought back to the good old reading way.—Washington Post.

# NOTES and COMMENT

We are advised that the Housewives' League has decided to round up statistics as to the cost of living, and being born. As this information would trench upon the intimate and submerged affairs of the family it will be welcomed by the curious.

Poetry, from Chaucer's day to last Monday having class as to values with paintings, is now in a way to be put in the category of coal. At least, that is what may be inferred by the formation of a stock company, with a capital of \$75,000, to take over the product of Poet Keeler. It is a new idea, and there is legitimate interest as to its outcome.

In its kaleidoscopic way the Literary Digest tells the story of William Jennings' three's resource. And among other things gives a picture of him as he appeared forty years ago, the notable features of which are a "plug" hat of imposing dimensions and a suit of clothes that announces its own approach. It is to be admitted that the embryonic "commoner" was fair to look upon, and considerably more circumspect in dress than he has appeared to be in later years.

The contention is made that as to some of the Democratic leaders Herbert Hoover is proving to be more, a nightmare than a dark horse. The differentiations may be worked out individually, each according to his lights.

It is discouraging that the management of such an admirable public institution as the municipal auditorium should be under fire, with cause, thus early in its existence. It may be unfair to lay the blame to any one unofficial, but it is undoubtedly that all of them might have kept things straight.

Colonel Jackling is reputed to be a considerable of a humorist, but is not recognizing the safety of a situation in which he stands himself. The National Board of Awards rules that a distinguished service medal should not be given the Colonel for two years' government service at a dollar a year. The reason assigned is that he had a government contract. Colonel Jackling says that he hadn't a government contract. But anyway, it must all be the reverse of pleasant for the Colonel.

The cartoonist has a theme in Uncle Sam's popularity abroad when he was showing the money to help the nations through the war, and the cartoonist who he encounters now, when he refuses to advance further cash, and is expecting that some of that already advanced will be paid back. Nations seem to be a good deal like individuals in such a situation.

When we look around to see who is here we will shortly be able to recognize the premiere of Poland and is to return to his domain at Paso Robles. He has let it be known that he is to stay in America, and that he will resume his music career. After his sensational experience as a premier through a world war, his reception as a piano performer is sure enough to be enthusiastic.

There is a general understanding that other senatorial elections have been conducted on lines similar to Newberry's, and consequent wonder why there is so much other. An explanation may be that Newberry's was the President's very particular choice, and that Ford's money, backed by the administration's influence, is being applied to the effort to confuse him.

A tunnel under the estuary at Webster street may be more desirable than a bridge over it, but the cost must be considered. If it would involve ten millions, that certainly is staggering. Still, we must take into account the future of the great manufacturing region about Webster street, which includes the whole San Leandro bay region, the development and importance of which will be greatly forwarded if an unobstructed approach is afforded.

## SPIRIT OF THE STATE PRESS

Despite all kinds of predictions and threatenings, it seems that storms are lashed this year for Grass Valley. Last Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

up nicely and a real old-fashioned rain storm was momentarily expected, but nothing developed and yesterday brought the usual good weather. So far this winter, wind storms and fogs are all that have visited this section. The need for a long and heavy storm was never more desired than at present.—Grass Valley Union.

"Lane Rumor" reports that Walnut Creek youth contemplated taking a dairy course in the University of California soon. He was kicked by a cow because he tried to milk her from both sides.—Contra Costa Courier.

During the last few days 65,709 strawberry plants have been shipped into this city. Of this number 4000 are condemned by the country home department commissioner.—Santa Clara Index.

If you feel that you would enjoy a rich diet, check on the corner of your newspaper. The pulp from which the paper was made has increased in cost 37 per cent, chiefly during the last two years.—Woodland Democrat.

San Bernardino will confess that the city is tired of being "backed" in the matter of a new postoffice building. We are next on the list when a public building bill is allowed to get through at Washington, but with the tremendous cost of government, and war taxes growing to such extent that Europe calls loudly for help, Republican leaders in congress turn thumbs down on things considered unnecessary, and new postoffice buildings are thus fated.—San Bernardino Sun.

# CLOTHES MAKES THE MAN!



## A PETITION FOR PEACE

What President Reinhardt of Mills College Said When She Presented the Prayer of 20,000 California Women For Ratification of the Treaty.

(From the Congressional Record of January 26, 1920.)

Mr. Phelan.—Mr. President, I am charmed with the very agreeable duty of presenting this morning a petition from a very large number of women of California—20,000—whose names are attached to this petition, requesting the Senate to ratify the treaty of peace with Germany and the covenant of the League of Nations. I do not know any better method of ascertaining the sense of the people between elections than by a resort to the constitutional right of petition, and whereas many petitions have been presented to the Senate, there is no petition more formidable than this one which I have the honor to present this morning, Mr. President, I ask that you receive it and lay it before the Senate.

I also ask unanimous consent to have printed at the same time the remarks of Dr. Aurelia Hony, Reinhardt, president of the Mills College, California, a representative woman of my state, who, in tendering the petition to the California senators for presentation here, urges the purpose and the sense of the petitioners in eloquent language.

The Vice President.—There being no objection, it is so ordered.

The matter referred to is as follows: REMARKS OF DR. REINHARDT.

On Saturday, January 24, Dr. Aurelia H. Reinhardt, president of Mills College, Oakland, Calif., representing the petitioners, women of California, made the following address in the presence of the vice president and many senators in the room of the vice president:

"I thank a senior Senator from California, Mr. Phelan, for his courteous introduction and the vice president of the United States for his hospitality to the women of California in permitting them in this historic room to present to their senators this memorial, in behalf of the peace treaty and the League of Nations, for presentation to the Senate."

"The great clock which I am familiar with, and which I am familiar with, is a less important than the rights of liberty depend today and will always depend on you—the kind of men you are, the kind of beliefs you hold, the kind of governmental conduct to which your beliefs bring you."

"We, the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect union."

"That was a hundred and fifty years ago, and from that resolution the world learned much, as the nations of the world have proved, not only by their words but by their deeds. Lord Robert Cecil, Lord Balfour, Venetia, Orlando speak in words we know are in that co-operating and high-minded way we like to call American."

## TODAY 20 YEARS AGO

San Francisco wholesale house advertises for a bookkeeper who must also be a stenographer and typewriter, for a salary of \$25 a month. "Permanent, if applicant is satisfactory."

Moving pictures being shown of Jeffries-Shaw fight commented on by THE TRIBUNE as follows: "They are well worth seeing as a triumph of science. The fact that every motion of the boxers is reproduced as vividly as life is one of the marvels of the age."

City council in architects to present plans for a new city hall. The work of erecting a new power plant for the street car company in Piedmont is to start in a few days, according to announcement.

duties are the foundations of rights, intelligence the basis of safe conduct, participation the only earnest of stability. And internationalism, that federation of co-ordinate nationalities, is America's next proof of the virtues and practicability of democratic government."

Let us have peace, an organized peace, a stable peace, for the sake of America of the world. "With malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in; to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace among ourselves and with all nations."

Mr. Phelan.—Mr. President, I should like to ask the senator from California whether this is a petition for the ratification of the treaty of peace and the covenants of the League of Nations without change, without reservations?

Mr. Phelan.—It is an unqualified ratification of the treaty of peace. In petitioning the Senate I understand that while the women of California favor unqualified and unconditional ratification, they are quite willing to leave it to the judgment of the Senate. It is more to direct their attention to the importance of action than any specific action at this time.

Mr. Phelan.—I wish to ask another question before disposing of the matter in order to understand just what it is. It is quite voluminous, evidently, and I have not had an opportunity to read it. Is there any expression in the petition as to favoring or disfavoring the attitude of a number of senators on the League of Nations, or on the subject of going against the ratification of the treaty of peace with certain reservations for the preservation of the independence of the United States?

Mr. Phelan.—The petition, Mr. President, is a simple memorial to Congress favoring the ratification of the treaty. The representative of the petitioners, Dr. Reinhardt, in addressing a group of senators and the California delegation on this subject last Saturday dwelt entirely upon the general principles of the Government of the United States, the individual independence, the local self-government, and the confederation of states in order to protect and guard the rights which pertain to every citizen; and by a logical process she showed that a union of the state of the world would subvert the interests of humanity and liberty. Just as the confederation of the states has served those purposes within our dominion."

Mr. Phelan.—Then, as I understand the petition, so far as the senator from California states it, it would approve the ratification of the treaty of peace and the covenant of the League of Nations with the reservations that have been denominated the Lodge reservations?

Mr. Phelan.—No; the petition has no reference to the Lodge reservations or any other reservations. Mr. Phelan.—It does not oppose them, however. Mr. Phelan.—There is no word of opposition in the memorial. It is simply a memorial to the Senate in behalf of the ratification. I am sure that the ladies will yield to the good judgment of their representatives in this body, and I construe it to be more a petition in favor of early and prompt action.

# HEALTH and HAPPINESS

## How You Should Use Worry

By DR. LEONARD K. HIRSBERG, A. B., M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkins University)

Worry, in the real sense of the term, does not mean a slight disturbance of the mental faculties, nor does it have a temporary sojourn in the mind. Every form of mental depression of the normal mind, every kind of care, anxiety, concern and every form of dread of some outcome is included in the meaning of the word "worry."

Cure anxiety, concern, dread—these are not fleeting or temporary, but unless expelled by a very strengthened will, your emotions are on a constant watch for things to happen. Your mind assumes a naturally suspicious state, so that while your emotions are under a continued strain for the proof of your suspicions or for the proof of their falsity, consistent and fundamental changes are taking place within the physical construction of the brain.

Fear does not end with a leap of the heart or a bodily tremor. Each tissue and each particle of living matter is composed of a bit of protoplasmic, gelatinous substance which is held within a skin-like boundary. When the tension of fear is intense or sometimes even continued in a mild form there is prolonged strain, and the tissues are used up.

If, by act of will, change of atmosphere, you meet with individuals of stronger, less easily troubled personality you manage to change your environment, and if the tissues have a little of the gelatinous material left in them you may in time recover your normal balance of prompt action. However, is not taken the danger of further physical deterioration.

The various life structures are only a part of one great, complex organized emotional machinery. One division of this machinery does not become affected without injury to the other parts. Emotions are due to the action of glands, but they also are the emotions of the muscles of the face, mouth, ears, arms, legs or trunk; in fact, by the entire human framework.

SOME OF THE REASONS. Throughout all these muscles there are emotional fibres, and when fear or intense feeling excites these they become very tense. If this tension is not relieved by a loud cry or a strenuous fight in some cases, the substance produced by the nervous system during the moments of tension becomes a poison. This continues the physical deterioration of the human framework and muscular weakness to the extent that actual paralysis may take place. In the meantime the digestive apparatus and other structures are constantly made to suffer because of the poison carried to them by the blood stream during the period of emotional strain.

Mental relief from tense emotional overstrain comes usually after the will power has become weakened. Until then the emotions of crying, screaming or fighting are held in check, and the tension increases as a result. This, however, cannot be held indefinitely, for hysteria comes, and with it sometimes convulsions. If this stage of worry is allowed to manifest itself without the aid of humor, fun, amusements, entertainment and pleasant reading, careful and expert medical treatment must perhaps be sought.

To dispel worry strengthen the will before the moods of worry and care have begun their depredations. Frequent "recreation" is the surest way to dispel the moods of crying, screaming or fighting are held in check, and the tension increases as a result. This, however, cannot be held indefinitely, for hysteria comes, and with it sometimes convulsions. If this stage of worry is allowed to manifest itself without the aid of humor, fun, amusements, entertainment and pleasant reading, careful and expert medical treatment must perhaps be sought.

## WHAT'S DOING TODAY

Sons and Daughters of Washington meet, Chabot hall, evening. Benefit dance for Mexican earthquake sufferers, Pacific building, evening.

Vesper services, Mills college, 7 p. m.

Channing club meets, First Unitarian church, Berkeley, evening.

Sky raucville, Durant field, afternoon.

Fulton.—The Governor's Lady.

Orpheum—Ivan Hankoff.

Ye Liberty—Mary Pickford.

Pantages—Gelli troupe.

Columbia—Twenty Minutes at the Movies.

American—Pauline Frederick.

T. and D.—The Vengeance of Durand.

Kinema—Folart Foxworth.

Franklin—Douglas Fairbanks.

Broadway—Tom Mix.

Lake Merritt—Hootin'.

## WHAT'S DOING TOMORROW

Supervisors meet, morning.

Minneapolis Symphony concert, Auditorium, evening.

Neighbors of Woodcraft give whist party, Athens hall, evening.

Theosophical Society meets, California hall, U. C. 8 p. m.

Boy Scouts hold tenth annual celebration.

Oakland Macabees meet, evening.

Ought to Get a Lathering.

Mischievous as he was, his doting mother thought him perfect. "It is the nature of a child I ever saw," she boasted. "He's as keen as a razor."

"Yes," spoke up grandpa, who had more than once been the younger's victim, "and a razor is what he reminds me of—'he needs strapping'."

—Boston Transcript.



**Deathhouse Prisoners****Ask for Better Food**

OSSINING, N. Y., Feb. 5.—Major Lewis Lawes, warden of Sing Sing, has been petitioned by the twenty-

nine slayers in the prison death-house to give them better food. This new warden has promised to do. Warden Lawes will go over the menu and so far as the appropriation allows will improve the fare of the condemned prisoners.

**COURSE OFFERED EX-SERVICE MEN**

Preparations are now being made by the Knights of Columbus war activities committee here for the academic and vocational training at St. Mary's college of many ex-service men as well as to take advantage of the K. C.'s educational offer.

Enrollment in the same work in San Francisco has reached 1700 and in Chicago 1000. Stenography, salesmanship, auto mechanics, bookkeeping, languages and other courses will be open at St. Mary's college in two weeks. Any man or woman, whether he served in the army, navy or marine corps, is eligible to enroll.

A building will be erected on the St. Mary's college campus affording six rooms for study. Since the college has already been provided for the commencement of academic and vocational courses within the next two weeks.

Albert Bagley is department director of the Knights of Columbus for Oakland. F. Edgar Bagley will register men here at 516 Syndicate building, where the Knights of Columbus have offices with the Oakland Post of the American Legion. Bagley will begin registration Monday and will be ready for ex-service men from 2 o'clock every afternoon until 8 o'clock at night.

**DRUNK SETS NEW RECORD.** LONDON, Feb. 5.—Charged with drunkenness three times in thirty-six hours at the same court, a Canning Town man created a new record. The first time he was arrested he had \$15, the second time \$3 and a bottle of rum, the third time, nothing but a headache.

**Commissioner Morse Is Expected to Take Action In Police Difficulties**

With the return tomorrow of Commissioner of Public Health and Safety F. P. Morse, following his recent illness, further developments are expected in the police department situation, which today took on several new angles.

Action is looked for on the assignment of the recently created eligible list of captains, to the existing vacancy of acting captain, and the situation is being watched closely since the announcement of Acting Captain William P. Woods, who now holds the place and who stood second on the eligible list, that he will go to the courts to resist the appointment of Inspector Theodore Wallman, the leader on the list.

**SETTLEMENT IS EXPECTED.** Under the charter assignment to the place of Inspector Wallman, Police J. P. Lynch, with the approval of Commissioner Morse, the latter stated several days ago that the question would be settled with haste Monday.

A movement to have abolished the

**'CALIF.' NOT 'CAL.' URGED ON MAIL**

A campaign to educate the public in standards which will enable the local postoffice to establish a better mail service has been launched by Postmaster Joseph J. Renshaw. He has been making a number of speeches before local organizations to accomplish this end.

Mail service, it is contended, is the backbone of the community. The party of the first part in this case being the people and the party of the second part the postal employees. It is the duty of the party of the first part to meet his end of the agreement before he may expect the party of the second part to meet his. It is Renshaw's theory.

The incorrect address or incorrectly stamped letters which come into the local postoffice daily number thousands, which means that postal clerks have to do twice the work they would be required to do if the letters were properly addressed and stamped. Letters are sometimes delayed 24 hours merely by what seems to be a minor mistake in the writer. An address is not a street, nor is a street an avenue, so when a letter is sent to an address on Fifty-fourth avenue when the writer meant to send it to an address on Fifty-fourth street, it is not the fault of postal employees if Mrs. Jones does not receive the invitation in time to attend Aunt Esther's party.

Another common mistake, the local office points out, is "Cal." for California instead of "Calif." The "a" often looks like an "o" and when it is written in the wrong place it is sometimes mistaken for "Cal" and goes romping off to Colorado, where it wanders around for a week or so before the mistake is detected.

Letters should all be stamped in the right upper hand corner in order that the stamping machine can make the proper cancellation. Otherwise the work must be done by hand, which is a much slower process. The cancelling machine stamps 500 letters per minute, while the best man in the local postoffice holds the record with 50 per minute by hand.

**New Wing Will House Library at Tech High**

Technical high school is to have a new wing added to the main body of the building. It will be on the left hand side and plans are rapidly developing. Out of this new wing a library is to be built, which will accommodate all those who need to use it will be built. Heretofore the library was a room hardly larger than a classroom.

Now the students are promised by the Board of Education that this new wing will be given over to a large and comfortable library with study rooms near, thus eliminating walking from one end of the building to the other to get a reference. Time is to be conserved to the utmost.

The old library may be used for a teachers' rest room or be given over to the school paper, the Weekly Scribe News, as an office.

**Youth Sentenced to Preston for Hold-up**

Charles Jeffries, 18, alias Squires, who pleaded guilty to assisting in the robbery of Chew at 126 Seventh street, was sentenced yesterday to the Preston School of Industry by Judge James C. Quinn. Robert Lord, an accomplice in the hold-up, has been sentenced to San Quentin, and George Smith, another accomplice, is awaiting a report from the probation officer.

Chew Mong was held up at the point of a gun and then locked in an ice chest while the till was looted of \$35. The three were arrested after Jeffries confessed his part in the crime while attending a revival meeting.

**U. S. Army to Enlist 3534 Air Service Men**

During the period of six months ending August 30, 1919, there will be 3534 vacancies in the United States army air service which will be filled by enlistment from all parts of the United States, according to information received by Colonel H. H. Arnold of the air service division of the Western Department. While recruiting for this division is not in progress at present, Colonel Arnold will keep a waiting list of applicants for the air service until the time that enlistments are opened. The communication says that most of the vacancies will be in the dirigible balloon division of the service. Further information can be had at Western Department headquarters, 400 Market street, San Francisco.

**New Elmhurst Club Meets Tuesday Night**

The second meeting of the newly organized Elmhurst Community Club will be held Tuesday evening in the Redmen's hall at 2412 East Fourteenth street at which the committee at work on preparation of a constitution for the club will present a report. Alexander Stewart, community service director of the War Camp Community Service during the war, is to address the club on "Community work." Standing committee of the club will be appointed at the meeting, and a musical program and informal dancing will close the meeting.

**WOUNDED TO GET SILVER BUTTONS**

Word has been received at the local Navy recruiting station at Liberty that the bureau of navigation will award a silver Victory button to be worn on civilian clothing to all persons who served in the naval or naval reserve force between April 6, 1917, and November 11, 1918, who were wounded in actual combat with the enemy.

Silver Victory buttons will be issued by the bureau of navigation upon the request of the individual concerned. Such request should set forth in full the date, time and general locality of the action, together with the name of the ship or unit to which attached at the time the wound was sustained.

Word has been received that no further orders no enlistments in the Navy of minors under eighteen years of age will be made. All instructions issued heretofore permitting enlistment of minors under 18 years are rescinded.

**Geishas Strike When City Dads Impose Tax**

TOKYO, Feb. 5.—The municipal amusement tax which Japanese town councils have imposed as a means of helping them to meet rising costs was responsible for a strike of geishas in the city of Sendai. The geishas, together with their "agents," the keepers of the geisha houses and the restaurant or tea-house proprietors, held a mass meeting in the public park and passed resolutions denouncing the city fathers and pledging themselves to go on strike until the tax was removed.

**DANCING TAKES PLACE OF GYM AT TECH. HIGH**

Girls at Technical high school are now allowed to take up dancing instead of their regular compulsory gymnasium work. They are compelled to have five periods a week gym and two of these days may be given over to aesthetic dancing. This makes the course less monotonous and helps many of the younger girls to improve upon their dancing.

The classes will be conducted under Miss Helen Rader, who has studied various forms of dancing many years under noted teachers. This variation of the five-day-a-week gym is received enthusiastically by nearly all girls.

**Ducks Featured in Annual Banquet Bill**

A duck dinner was served to the employees of the Miller Ice Cream Company the last Saturday night in January in Hayward. The birds for the occasion were largely by some of the men working for the company on a hunting trip and the culinary operations were superintended by L. Mucci, assisted by other members of the company. Music was furnished by an orchestra from the University of California and an exhibition of fancy boxing was given by Jack Davis, Battling Larson and George Shade. Vocal selections were given by Mrs. Detoria Rink and Mrs. Nella Berghardt.

The employees of the San Francisco branch, headed by Manager George E. Gochler, were credited with 100 per cent attendance. In all there were over one hundred who participated in the feast.

Max O. Miller, general manager, was master of ceremonies. Among those who responded were E. E. Miller, Ed. Thompson, F. Kohlmeier, Harry Borchert, Harry Taggart, W. C. Schaefer, George E. Gochler and F. B. Fulmer.

**CANNIBALISM IS COMMON IN HAITI**

SAO CITY, La., Feb. 5.—John Page, a Jackson township farm boy, declares that savagery and cannibalism are common in the republic of Haiti.

Page served there with the Marines and has told relatives and friends here of some hair-raising episodes that marked service for Uncle Sam in the West Indian Isle, indicating that as much excitement was experienced there as anywhere in the World War zone.

Page claimed that he discovered that the citizens of the republic are really savages, believing in voodooism, involving witchcraft, snake worship and human sacrifice. Cannibalism and other South Sea Island practices are believed to be the inferior according to his statements.

Bandits thrive in Haiti, he avers. "Cacoes capture law-abiding citizens or persons belonging to another band and torture them to death," he declares.

Page was on police duty at Haiti with other Yankee Marines.

**Glutton Denied Suit Against Profiteers**

VIENNA, Feb. 5.—A gourmand has no redress against a profiteer, according to a decision handed down here. Karl Zimmermann, government official, charged profiteering against a restaurant, but hearing that he ordered soup, roast beef, roast veal, a pork chop, half a pheasant, a quarter of a fowl, two sausages with sauerkraut, three apple tarts and a fix pudding, the judge dismissed the case.

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## LEGION DRIVE TO START ON LINCOLN DAY

The program of Americanization outlined for the coming year by Oakland Post of the American Legion will be opened on Lincoln's Birthday in all of the public schools of the city under arrangements being made with the Board of Education.

One speaker from Oakland Post, represented in a committee selected by Captain Walter J. Peterson, president of the post, is to appear at each school at the regular Lincoln's Birthday exercises, and the theme of the address is to be Americanization as it is today.

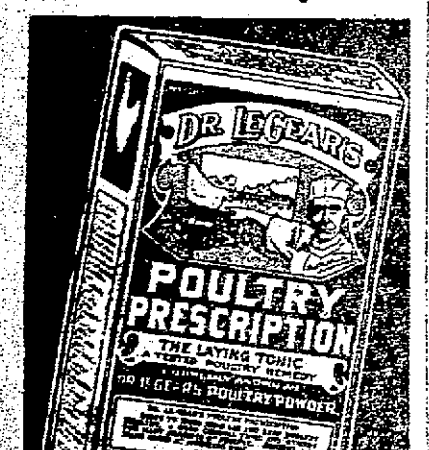
In addition to the Legion speakers, according to the present arrangements of the Board of Education, there will be the usual addresses by veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Distribution of the French memorial diplomas prepared by the French government for presentation as a mark of sympathy and appreciation to the next of kin of American soldiers who died in France will be made by Oakland Post of the Legion at services to be held at the Municipal Auditorium on Washington's Birthday. Civic and patriotic organizations are lending their aid in the preparation of the event.

Plans have been completed by the post for the annual election of officers to be held next Monday. The post headquarters in room 315 of the Syndicate building will be converted into a polling place and will open at 2 o'clock in the morning until 10 o'clock in the evening.

## New Year's Baltic

**Blizzard Feb. 7.**—The blizzard that swept over the Baltic countries on New Year's day, covering the whole country with a heavy coat of drifting snow, left in its wake more than 300 persons in the forest district between Reval and Narva who were frozen to death, according to fragmentary reports that have reached the American Red Cross here.



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## THE MODERN

At a prettily appointed affair presided over by Mrs. Edmund F. Heritage, at her home in Alameda, on Tuesday evening, the engagement of Miss Helen L. Rowe, popular Berkeley girl, and Thomas C. O'Brien was formally announced. The Heritage home was decorated with red carnations, greens and valentine novelties. A dainty supper was served and cards bearing the names of the couple announced the news.

The engagement is the outcome of a close friendship formed when the young couple were actively engaged in the work of the district committee of the Y. M. C. A. L. I. Miss Rowe is district deputy grand president of the Y. M. C. A. of Alameda county, and is a past president of the Institute in Berkeley, while Mr. O'Brien is a social director of the Y. M. C. A. Both young people are widely known throughout the bay cities through their association with the above organizations.

The bride-to-be is a member of a well-known Berkeley family and possesses a charming personality which has endeared her to her hostess. She is a gifted pianist. O'Brien, who is the son of Mrs. Martha J. O'Brien, a pioneer resident of Oakland, is a graduate of St. Mary's college and has been associated with the Moore Shipbuilding Company for several years.

According to the present plans of the couple, the wedding will be an interesting event of the year. Among those present at the announcement were: Misses Nora E. Lyden, Elsie Lenane, Daisy Keller, Florence de Andries, Nina de Andries, Helen L. Rowe, Beth Dooley, Mrs. E. F. Heritage, Mrs. A. Wenderling and Mrs. J. J. Krize.

Plans are being completed for the big leap year dance of the Edonal club, which is to take place February 12, at St. Mary's hall. Seventh and Grove streets. The young ladies of the committee of arrangements are spending every effort to make the affair a success, and in addition to the dance say they have surprises in store for those who attend.

Among the patronesses who will attend are Mesdames Richard Hammond, Edward Moloney and T. J. Grogan.

The committee in charge of the affair includes: Miss Regina Monzo, Miss Anne Grogan, Miss Antoinette Besenhal, Miss Mary Grogan, Miss Helen Moloney, Miss Kathleen Moloney, Miss Margaret Besenhal, Miss Stella Besenhal, Miss Lucy Bobba, Miss Evelyn Barron, Miss Catherine Quirk and Miss Elizabeth Quirk.

The engagement of Miss Florence Evelyn Mills to William J. Shackelford was announced last Saturday afternoon at a tea given by the bride-elect to a number of her young friends at her home on College avenue, Berkeley.

Miss Mills is the daughter of the late Rev. Samuel Mills and Mrs. Mills, and is a very attractive and accomplished member of Berkeley's younger set.

W. J. Shackelford served as a lieutenant in the navy and was overseas service during the war. He is now with the Pacific Mail company and is at present on a business trip to the Orient. The date of the wedding has not yet been definitely decided upon.

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## SUSPECTED JEWEL THIEF IS ARRESTED

EUREKA, Cal., Feb. 7.—Howard E. Dorland, charged with taking jewelry worth \$10,000 from Mrs. Adeline McLaughlin, left here today for San Francisco in custody of Detective Harry Cook.

The arrest, made at Scotia yesterday, resulted from the claim of the wife of Dorland, his little daughter, who was with a woman friend, the name of Anna Rodolph.

A woman and child arrived at Scotia three weeks ago. Constable J. Marshall, in conversation with the child, asked her name. She replied "Marie Dorland."

"Way, way down in San Fran," the girl answered.

Marshall suspected that the child was connected with the alleged diamond robbery. He developed clues which disclosed that Dorland was due in Scotia Thursday evening. However, Dorland eluded capture and continued from Scotia to Eureka. He returned to Scotia yesterday and was arrested as he was about to enter the Rodolph home.

Dorland is the son of the president of the Commercial and Security Bank of San Diego. Mrs. McLaughlin is the daughter of a New Haven, Conn., multi-millionaire. They met at Reno.

Plans for the development of Oakland's retail shopping district, lying along those thoroughfares that converge at Fourteenth street and Broadway, north of Fourteenth to Twenty-fourth street, are being made by the Up-Town association in order that Oakland's retail commercial life may keep pace with the industrial and manufacturing activities.

The plan of the Up-Town association, the organization of which has been in course of perfection for some months past, is to serve the district in every way possible, and to advance the best interests in the district in every way possible.

"Unless this city can receive a goodly portion of the money spent by its growing industrial population, then the stupendous growth of the city and the progress the future holds will mean nothing to the city's retail commercial life," according to George E. Sheldon, secretary of the association.

**Parents Go North to Bury Their Son**

BERKELEY, Feb. 7.—News reached Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Parcel, 2220 Channing way, this week of the death of their son, Albert, former student at the University of California, who succumbed at Corvallis, Ore., following an illness of one day with influenza.

Parcel was 28 years old and had been attending the State Agricultural College at Corvallis. He served in the medical corps during the war. Mr. and Mrs. Parcel have gone north to attend the funeral of their son.

A little daughter this week, Palma Cipele of Woodcrest will entertain in honor of the guards at their next meeting, February 12.

The next meeting of the Hayward Poultry club will be held in the Bank of Hayward hall next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. G. Smith, who was operated on by Dr. Chas. Coleman last week at the Hayward Central hospital for the removal of gall stones, is steadily improving.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hargreaves are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a little girl Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Rasmussen, of Morgan and were visiting relatives here this week.

Owing to the prevalence of sickness in this grammar school district the trustees' closed our public schools Friday for an indefinite period.

The family of Hugh Lintilhac, cashier of the State bank, is suffering from the influenza. A. A. Deane, president cashier of the bank, is ill with the influenza.

**IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS**

Flush Your Kidneys Occasionally If You Eat Meat Regularly

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally. Says a well-known authority, meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or cannot filter at all the waste and poisons from the blood. Then you get rheumatism, neuralgia, headache, backache, nervousness, indigestion, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The human body cannot be abused and you do not feel the effects. If you have not properly cared for your health, the Sing Herbs will remove the results of such improper care, restoring your body to its normal condition. Good health is life's greatest blessing—get it and keep it.

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## Scouts Will Celebrate Anniversary Services Are Planned in Churches Oaklanders Urged to Adopt Motto

With a proclamation from Mayor Davis inviting the public to participate and religious services in the churches the Oakland Boy Scouts are ready for their participation in the national observance of the tenth anniversary of the organization.

Instead of seeking donations for their work the Scouts all over the United States are asking the public this week to apply to its private life the Scout motto of "Doing a Good Turn Every Day."

All of the Oakland business houses this week are to have posters on their correspondence carrying their admonition and the churches, both Catholic and Protestant, to which Boy Scout units are attached are to hold special services today.

At 8 o'clock this evening the Scouts will stand at attention and renew their Scout oath.

The Scouts were organized in the United States on February 8, 1910, and now number 470,000 members and are represented in 16,000 communities. The Oakland Scouts started the year with 800 members and expect to double the number the coming year.

"If you want to feel like a Scout do your good turn conscientiously this week and you will," announced Homer J. Beniss, scout executive yesterday. "We want the public to participate in this movement to the fullest extent."

**Richmond May Organize Guards**

**Curry Will Again Seek Re-election**

RICHMOND, Feb. 7.—To determine whether or not the people of this city will take advantage of the offer of Adjutant General Borree to establish a company of National Guards in this city, a meeting has been called by the Richmond Chamber of Commerce at its headquarters on next Tuesday evening. The various local organizations, such as the Contra Costa Building Trades Council, American Legion, women's clubs and other civic bodies have been invited to send delegates.

Congressman Charles F. Curry has definitely announced his intention to again seek the Republican nomination for Congress from the Third district, comprising Contra Costa, Solano, San Joaquin, Sacramento, Yolo and Napa counties, and which district he has served since 1912. It is not known whether or not he will have opposition. There has been rumors of the entry of Senator James Ingham of Sacramento in the fray. No Democratic aspirant has been heard from.

Mayor James N. Long has issued a proclamation calling upon the people of this city to aid the \$12,000 drive for relief for the Near East, which will be commenced in this city tomorrow. The section of city territory with special sermons in all of the churches. Contra Costa county's share is \$27,000, of which it is hoped to raise \$12,000. Richmond. Contra Costa is preparing to make an active canvass of the entire city for the cause.

Miss Annie Peters as a Hua girl, Fred March as a hodgekicker and Jacob Garhold as a clown won the prizes at the masquerade party of the Richmond Lodge, Moose lodge, at the Richmond Hotel, last evening. The party was largely attended and most enjoyable.

Bids for the construction of the county highway from Bryant station on the Walnut Creek-Oakland paved highway to the site of the San Pablo valley dam of the Eastbay Water Company will be opened on March 1 by the board of supervisors. The distance is seven and three-eighths miles. The section of San Pablo valley county highway from the dam to the town of San Pablo will be let later in March. The water company announces that its dam will be completed this year and that the highway, which will cross from the south to the north side of the valley over the dam, can be built late this summer. On March 1 also the supervisors will open bids for the Franklin canyon highway, which will extend from the city to the city of Hercules. This road will be eight and one-half miles long.

Charlie Watson, oldest employee of the Standard Oil plant here, is to be honored by having the next tanker to be launched for the company named after him. The tanker Charlie Watson is under construction.

**Stomach Trouble Removed by Sing Herbs**

Purging and cleansing of Nature's remedies surest cure

Remove the cause of sickness or disease and a cure has been accomplished.

In stomach, liver and bowel trouble the cleansing, purifying and healing effect of the Sing Herb treatments accomplish wonderful results.

The poisons caused by improper digestion or elimination are removed, the organs resume their normal functions and a proper diet and exercise will keep the body healthy.

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## Your Spring Suit on Credit at Cosgrave's



Spring is here and with it come thoughts of new outer garments—Suits, Coats, Dresses.

If you will take advantage of Cosgrave's Credit System you can be dressed well by paying only a few dollars down, the balance when convenient—Prices extremely moderate.

**CREDIT All You Want**

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523-13th St. OAKLAND

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**CHINESE THRIFT REDUCES COST OF LIVING**

TRADITIONALLY THRIFTY, THE CHINESE HAVE ACHIEVED AN ENVIABLE REPUTATION FOR THEIR ABILITY TO LIVE COMFORTABLY AND WELL AT A MINIMUM COST.

THE CHINESE HAVE ALSO MADE THEMSELVES FAMOUS IN ALL QUARTERS OF THE GLOBE FOR THEIR WONDERFUL BUSINESS JUDGMENT AND THEIR SUCCESS IN ALL KINDS OF COMMERCIAL UNDERTAKINGS.

IN OAKLAND THE CHINESE MEAT MARKETS HAVE STRUCK A HEAVY BLOW AT THE HIGH COST OF LIVING. PATRONS OF THESE CHINESE MARKETS DO NOT NEED TO BE TOLD OF THE LOW PRICES PREVAILING ON ALL CUTS OF MEAT.

THESE CHINESE MARKETS ARE NOW THE SUBJECT OF ATTACK BY COMPETITORS—COMPETITORS UNABLE OR UNWILLING TO MEET THE PUBLIC HALF WAY IN HOLDING DOWN ON MEAT PRICES.

THESE COMPETITORS CAN BUY JUST AS CHEAPLY, CAN BE CONTENT WITH SMALLER PROFITS. THEY CAN BUY FROM THE SAME WHOLESALERS, PACKERS AND SLAUGHTER HOUSES.

THE MEAT SOLD BY ANY MARKET, IRRESPECTIVE OF WHO OWNS IT—

**Must Be Inspected by the Authorities**

The Chinese markets pay just as high rents, they are confronted by the same problems of high wages, their scale of wholesale prices are the same, their equipment equal, if not superior, and yet they are selling for a great deal less.

They are content with a fair margin of profit and feel they should merit public patronage if they help to reduce the high cost of living.

Visit any of the Chinese markets. One of the new markets—just opened—represents an investment of \$25,000 in the latest American-made fixtures and is positively the most modern, sanitary, up-to-date meat market in the city.

Two-thirds of the Chinese engaged in the market business in Oakland are natives of the United States—have the same constitutional rights as any other American citizen irrespective of the nationality of his or her parents.

The progressive Chinese merchant knows that he must have the best equipment, every labor-saving device, all the latest ideas in service and give the public the lowest possible price for the quality offered. Otherwise he could not expect to do business.

The public is invited to inspect the Chinese markets—compare prices and quality. The public will find both the finest cuts of meat as well as the cheaper cuts—the public will also find there is no profiteering—that the Chinese sell for the

**LOWEST PRICES IN OAKLAND**

**Chinese Meat Markets of Oakland.**

## Some Men

have "Superior" Doughnuts and coffee for breakfast—nothing else. There's nourishment for a meal in "Superior" Doughnuts. Order from your grocer.

SALESMAN'S NOTICE

Formerly Oakland, Antioch & Eureka, Ex. 12000. Sub and Super from 1910 to 1919. Leave Oakland daily.

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# WAR ON FLU HELPS TO IN BERKELEY

BERKELEY, Feb. 7.—As the first step in a campaign of education planned by the Berkeley authorities as a means of preventing the spread of influenza, a series of precautions which should be observed has been prepared by Dr. Robert Hector, acting health officer.

One of the most important of the precautionary measures, Dr. Hector declares, is the necessity for influenza patients to remain in bed until recovery is complete. "The danger," he states, "comes from relapses after the patient has overestimated his strength and leaves his bed."

Berkeley's total number of influenza cases passed the 800 mark this morning, with 37 new cases reported up to noon, making \$37 in all, with 15 deaths. Three deaths were reported for the past 24 hours as follows: Winella Everett, 24, 2615 Ashby avenue; Lucinda J. Grinstead, 82, 1242 Bonita street; Martha C. Parsons, 35, 2619 Parker street.

Following are the precautions urged upon Berkeleyans by Dr. Hector:

Isolate patient; plenty of fresh air; keep out of sick room, unless attendance is necessary.

Allow no visitors and do no visiting.

Keep away from crowded places, such as movies, street cars and dances.

Avoid the person who coughs or sneezes.

Keep away from houses where there are cases of influenza.

If you have influenza stay in bed until your doctor says you can safely get up.

Wear gauze mask and gown when in direct attendance upon patient.

Wash hands with antiseptic solution when you cough or sneeze.

Insist that the person sneeze, cough and expectorate in gauze that can be burned.

Boil all dishes and bed linen.

The board of health is doing all in its power to keep the disease at a minimum and earnestly requests the full co-operation of the citizens with the board in carrying out these simple suggestions.

"Oriental Nights" is Title of U. C. Fete

BERKELEY, Feb. 7.—"Oriental Nights" is the name and implies the spirit which will pervade the annual Pythian fete at the University of California to be given on March 27 in the Harmon gymnasium this year.

Announcement of a contest open to university students for posters announcing the fete was made today by the committee of the Pythian society, the campus women's organization in charge of the fete.

Judges in the poster contest will be: Alice Rouleau, Ruth Chisman and Marjory Turner, according to the committee.

Initiatives which consists of: Dorothy Beach, Jervel Gardiner, Jean McDougal and Susan Gibson. The publicity committee for the fete consists of: Donna Washburn, A. Valente, Minora McCabe, Isabel Bayliss, Margaret Pope, Elizabeth Bullitt, Katherine Springborg and Alma Smith.

Miss Marian Tilton is in charge of general arrangements for the affair.

Now 88 Years Old But Works at Trade of Blacksmith and Feels Younger Since Piles Are Gone

The oldest active blacksmith in Michigan is still pounding his anvil in the town of Homer—thanks to his internal method of treating piles.

Mr. Jacob Lyon, Homer, Mich.

I wish that you could hear him tell of his many experiences with hemorrhoids, piles, dilators, etc., before he tried my method. Here is a letter just received from him:

Dear Sir: I want you to know what your treatment has done for me. I had suffered with piles for many years and used suppositories and all kinds of treatments, but never got relief until I tried your method. I am now completely cured. Although I am 88 years old, and the oldest active blacksmith in Michigan, I feel years younger since the piles have left me. I will surely recommend it to all I know who suffer this way. You can use my letter any way you wish and I hope it will lead others to try this wonderful remedy.

Yours truly, J. L. LYON.

There are thousands of afflicted people suffering with piles who have never got this disease sensible way of treating them.

Don't be cut. Don't waste money on foolish cures, ointments, dilators, etc., but send today for a Free Trial of my internal method for the healing of piles.

No matter whether your case is of long standing or recent development—whether it is occasional or permanent—you should send for this free trial treatment.

No matter where you live—no matter what your occupation—my method will relieve you. My method is too important for you to neglect a single day. Write now. Send no money. Simply mail the coupon—but do this now—TODAY.

FREE PILE REMEDY  
E. R. Pace,  
5035 Park Ridge, Marshall, Mich.  
Please send free trial of your Method to:

## Berkeley Girl Holds Important Post at Czecho-Slovak Capital

Caroline McCullagh Serving As Confidential Secretary to Minister Crane.

BERKELEY, Feb. 7.—Chosen as the first woman to hold the post, Miss Caroline McCullagh, Berkeley and San Francisco girl, has arrived in the midst of history-making in the new republic of Czecho-Slovakia to become secretary to America's minister to that country.

News of Miss McCullagh's arrival and experiences in the capital of the little republic born of the war have just reached her mother, Miss Altha Carroll McCullagh, and her brother, E. C. McCullagh, Berkeley photographer.

Miss McCullagh is confidential secretary to Richard Crane, American minister at Prague, and is the first woman to hold a position of importance in the new republic.

JAMES Y. M. C. A. POST. Leaving Berkeley in the fall of 1918, Miss McCullagh, formerly associated with a San Francisco bank, went to Paris as a secretary in educational work of the Y. M. C. A.

With the close of the war she turned Great Britain and upon hearing of a vacancy on the staff of Minister Crane at the Prague legation immediately sought the post.

A journey filled with thrilling experiences marked Miss McCullagh's trip from Paris to Prague. As traveling companion she had the famous "grandmother" of the Russian revolution, who passed 33 years in a Siberian prison.

All of her comrades died, she told me, writes the Berkeley girl. "They could not stand the privations and hardships. I traveled in the same compartment with her from Paris to Prague. Many people came to see her on the way."

At some of the stations where we stopped for customs. At two stations in Czecho-Slovakia people came to meet her, sang songs, made speeches and kissed her hand and arm.

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## HERE'S HOW, IS SENIOR PLAY

BERKELEY, Feb. 7.—Here's how, a rollicking farce comedy with scenes laid on the college campus and in the South Sea Islands, has been chosen as the senior extravaganza to be presented by the graduating class at the University of California.

E. W. Hinchman, editor of the "Pictorial," and W. A. Brewer, Pelican and Occident contributor, are the co-authors of the play, which has been chosen as a commentary on the present condition of the world.

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## BOY SCOUT WEEK BEGINS MONDAY

BERKELEY, Feb. 7.—Action of the health department in rescinding the closing order affecting schools and public gatherings will make possible a partial observance of Boy Scout week, which begins tomorrow, according to an announcement of the Scout leaders today.

The observance will not take the original proportions planned owing to a confusion following the rescinding of the closing edict. All Scouts are being urged by their leaders to attend church services tomorrow at their own denominational church, no effort to be made to mass the boys in any particular place.

Various troops have been invited by various churches and through the action of the city council to meet at the city hall if they so desire. Scout Day Scout, wherever he is tomorrow at 8:15, has been asked to silently repeat the Scout Oath and Law and reconsecrate himself to Americanism and the program of a "good turn daily."

Scout meetings will again be conducted, but the Scout executives suggest that they be camp fire meetings, held in the open rather than indoors. Further announcement for the plans for the balance of the week will be made later. The order officially rescinds the order sent out by Scout leaders closing troop meetings and mass assemblies during the period of the closing.

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A selected line of attractive Sunfast draperies in a complete range of colors and neat, fancy figured patterns for good looking curtains and side drapes. Width 36 inches. Price \$1.50 yard.

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Fancy figured bungalow nets for attractive window drapes. Width 36 inches. Very economically priced at 45¢ yard.

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New spring line of Harmony cretonnes in attractive flower, figured and striped effects, for side drapes and couch coverings. Width 36 inches. Price 60¢ yard.

## Figured Burlaps 60¢ yard

Popular fancy figured burlap in new patterns and novel colorings for curtains and furniture coverings. Width 36 inches. Price 60¢ yard.

## Fine Nainsook 10 yards \$4.50

Extra fine quality, snow white nainsook for serviceable underwear. Ten yards to the piece at \$4.50.

## Longcloth, 8 yards \$3.95

Fine quality white longcloth for women's and children's underwear. Very serviceable. Width 36 inches. Eight yards to the piece at \$3.95.

## Japanese Crepe 60¢ yard

Plain and fancy imported Japanese crepe in a wide range of all of the popular shades for youthful wash frocks, waists, shirts, pajamas and other apparel. Very economically priced at 60¢ yard.

## Wool-Finish Suitings 50¢ yard

High class, fancy plaids in a wide range of color combinations for women's dresses, waists and skirts. Very serviceable. Extremely good value at 50¢ yard.

## Romper Cloth 39¢ yard

Medium weight washable romper cloth for serviceable children's wearables. Light or dark grounds with neat stripes, checks and plaid effects. Very good value at 39¢ yard.

## 36-in. Percales 45¢ yard

Extra fine quality American made percales in light and dark grounds with striped and checked patterns in a wide array of pleasing colorings. For Home Sewing Week the price will be 45¢ yard.

## White Voiles 39¢ yard

Snow white, even-threaded voiles of unusually good wearing quality. Width 36 inches. An excellent material for spring-time frocks and waists. Price 39¢ yard.

## White Plisse Crepe 45¢ yard

The well-known plain white plisse crepe that launders so nicely and does not require ironing. For dresses and underwear. Price 45¢ yard.

## Mercerized Poplin 60¢ yard

Highly mercerized cotton wash poplin in a full line of the most wanted plain, solid colors, for attractive poplin dresses and waists. Extra good value at 60¢ yard.

## New Zephyr Gingham 75¢ yard

New spring arrivals in high class Scotch Zephyr ginghams. An almost endless array of fancy checks and plaid patterns make selection easy for you. Width 22 inches. Price 75¢ yard.

## White Smock Suitings 50¢ yard

Fine quality plain white suiting with linen finish. A medium weight material for sports suits and skirts. Price 50¢ yard.

## Colored Ramie Suitings 75¢ yard

Ramie suitings are ever popular for spring and summer wear, and these we show now in new and staple shades promising to be more favored than ever. Price 75¢ yard.

## Washable Pongee 69¢ yard

Yard wide, silk mixed pongee in the natural pongee shade for refreshing springtime waists, dresses and other apparel. Price 69¢ yard.

## Washable Satin \$1.25 yard

Plain, solid color wash satin in pink, blue, white or black. Extremely well liked and very serviceable. Width 36 inches. Price \$1.25 yard.

## White Linen 25¢ yard

Plain white, sheer, even-threaded linen material for spring and summer dresses and waists or for serviceable, comfortable underwear. Price 25¢ yard.

## Fancy White Madras 45¢ yard

Fancy white, highly mercerized madras of exceptionally good wearing quality for men's shirts, pajamas or women's dresses and waists. Price 45¢ yard.

## Chiffon Broadcloth \$3.69 yard

Attractive new chiffon broadcloth with a rich luster finish for smart apparel. Sponged and shrunk all ready for the needle. Popular shades. Width 48 inches. Price \$3.69 yard.

## Sports Plaid Skirtings \$4.98 yd.

High-grade skirtings in novel sports plaids of various pleasing color combinations. Strictly all wool. Width 56 inches. Price \$4.98 yard.

## Pan Dan Cloth Suitings \$4.50 yd.

Beautiful all-wool quality suitings in the season's most favored shades. Width 48 inches. Extremely good values at \$4.50 yd.

## Balmaccan Mixed Coatings \$3.48 yard

Extra weight balmaccan mixed coating of more than ordinary quality. Width 54 inches. For Home Sewing Week the price will be \$3.48 yard.

## French Serge Suitings \$2.95 yard

If you have a limited amount to spend for material, you can place your confidence in this French serge suiting and be sure of all-wool quality. Popular shades. Width 48 inches. Price \$2.95 yard.

## Jersey Suitings \$3.89 yard

Strictly all-wool jersey suitings in the most desirable shades for Spring. Being 54 inches wide this fabric cuts to advantage. Price \$3.89 yard.

## Plain Sports Coatings \$4.78 yard

Plain sports cloth coatings in red, joffre, apple, reseda, emerald and blue. All-wool. Price \$4.78 yard.

## Bolivia Coatings \$8.95 yard

Rich, attractive Bolivia coatings in brown, gray, reindeer and Copenhagen. All-wool quality in the 54-inch width. Price \$8.95 yd.

## Epingle Suiting \$2.95 yard

This strictly all-wool suit fabric has become so much in demand that we need only announce the price to insure immediate interest. Incidentally, however, it is 50 inches wide. Price \$2.95 yard.

## Smart Velours \$4.95 yard

Velour coat and suit fabrics of all-wool quality in the newer shades for early Spring. Width 54 inches. Price \$4.95 yard.

## Cream Storm Serge \$2.48 yard

Beautiful quality of all-wool cream storm serge in the 50-inch width for smart Spring-time or Summer apparel. Price \$2.48 yard.

## French Serge \$2.29 yard

High-grade wool French serge in all of the most wanted shades. Width 44 inches. Like the other items listed on this page, here, too, is an unusual value. Price \$2.29 yard.

## Silvertone Coatings \$4.95 yard

All-wool silvertone coatings in reindeer, mode, gray, blue, tan, green and brown. Very smart and attractive. Width 54 inches. Price \$4.95 yard.

## Tricotine Suitings \$3.79 yard

No season has favored a particular dress weave more than this popular tricotine fabric of all-wool quality. It is 50 inches wide and very economically priced at \$3.79 yard.

## Children's Plaids 73¢ yard

New arrivals in smart plaid fabrics for serviceable children's wear. A wide range of pleasing patterns for your selection. Width 36 inches. Price 73¢ yard.

## Shepherd Check Suitings 77¢ yd.

Extra good quality shepherd check suitings in various different size checks. This popular fabric is still as attractive as ever and at this low price it should become a doubly interesting value. Price 77¢ yard.

## Spring Silks of Vogue and Value

The gleam of satins, the rustle of taffetas and the shimmer of all-silks flash upon you with an especial appeal when it is realized that Springtime brings true the dreams of new apparel of infinite charm and youthfulness.

And the new sports silks and satins for the season now at hand are everything that could be expected of fashionable, fascinating weaves—they're all new—they're all beautiful—and some are entirely different! You should see them tomorrow.

## Silk Weaves Repriced for Home Sewing Week

### New Foulard Silks \$3.95 yard

Newly arrived foulards in beautiful new designs that will instantly meet the approval of smart women. Width 40 inches. Price \$3.95 yard.

### Rich Black Satin \$2.69 yard

An elegant quality of rich, lustrous black satin for attractive frocks and gowns or chic spring suits. Price \$2.69 yard.

### Black Chiffon Taffeta \$2.89 yard

An excellent quality of lustrous black chiffon dress taffeta in the 40-inch width. Exceptionally good value at \$2.89 yard.

### White Sports Satin \$3.39 yard

Beautiful new designs for springtime's sports apparel. Width 40 inches. Excellent quality. Economically priced at \$3.39 yard.

### Taffeta Silks \$2.95 yard

Beautiful taffeta silks in all of the season's most favored shades—in plain or changeable effects. Width 36 inches. Price \$2.95 yard.

### Satin Messaline \$2.50 yard

Rich, heavy quality satin messaline in the new spring shades. Width 36 inches. Price \$2.50 yard.

### Pongee Silks 98¢ yard and up

A very complete assortment of attractive Chinese and Japanese pongee silks in various qualities, priced upwards from 98¢ yard.

### New Corduroys \$1.50 and \$1.75 yard

Just arrived by express. Spring will favor apparel of corduroy for sports wear. Complete line of corduroys in 22 and 36 inches at \$1.50 and \$1.75 yard.

## A Few Bedding Suggestions

### Part-Wool Blankets (half-pairs) \$3.95

Just 119 sample white wool and blankets in half pairs, all bound. Various qualities grouped at the one price. Ideal for extra coverings or large color combinations. Specially priced at \$3.95.

### Honeycomb Spreads \$2.95

Extra fine quality white honeycomb spreads in the large double bed size. New patterns that will prove very satisfactory. Price \$2.95.

### Bed Pillows \$1.50

Extra good quality bed pillows, sanitary and odorless feather filling. Good quality, serviceable tick covering. Special \$1.50.

### Plaid Auto Robes \$5.50

Exceptional robes of part wool in attractive plaid patterns, hemmed or fringed. An inexpensive, yet admirable robe for everyone who drives a car. Excellent value at \$5.50.

## 'Kerchiefs

Women's embroidered handkerchiefs in various neat designs, each ..... 15c

Women's Irish lawn embroidered handkerchiefs, each ..... 25c

Women's silk or crepe fancy handkerchiefs in new designs, 3 for ..... \$1

Men's fine cambric handkerchiefs, 3 for ..... 50c

## Youthful New Arrivals in Springtime Wraps

Featuring New

### Sports Wraps and Polo Coats

As completely charming, as piquant and original as a chic wrap could be, are these newly arrived sports wraps or polo coats with full flare back, inverted pleat back or smart yoke effect. You may choose one in tan, blue, brown, light green, gray or heather mixtures.

\$25.00 \$29.50 \$32.50

and Introducing

### Spring's Newest Novelty Wraps (Dolman Cape Effect)

Yesterday's express brought us the newest creations of fashion in the trend of novelty wraps. Materials of bolivia, silvertone, tinseltone, Peachbloom and velour developed in Dolman and cape effects that are smartly original and lined throughout with fine plaid silk.

\$75.00 to \$89.50

## Final Clearance Sale DRESSES

FINAL CLEARANCE PRICES

\$12.85 \$19.50 \$21.50 \$32.50

## COATS

FINAL CLEARANCE PRICES

\$19.50 \$27.50 \$39.50

## SUITS

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Taffeta Evening Dresses \$19.50

Smart, youthful party dresses in pretty pastel shades. Considerably lowered in price to make disposal. Sale price \$19.50.

Prices \$5.00, \$5.95 and \$6.95

## Valentines

Every imaginable kind from the dainty lace paper ones to beautiful folding engraved valentines of cleverly designed character with appropriate sentiments for the day. Especially attractive valentines for children. Prices from

1c to \$1.00

## Home Sewing Week Laces and Embroideries

Embroideries 15¢ and 25¢ yard

Attractive cambric and nainsook embroideries in widths from 2 to 12 inches. Beautiful flower and spray designs or eyelet and closed effects with straight, fast edges or scalloped effect.

Embroidery Flouncings 75¢ yard

Pretty, lace patterns or beautiful flowered eyelet designs on finest quality nainsook. Width 27 inches.

Embroidery Flouncings 89¢ yard

Delicate nainsook embroidery flouncings in fascinating, rich fashion, panel and eyelet designs with novelty scalloped edges. Width 27 inches.

Valenciennes Laces 5¢ yard

Valenciennes laces and headings in widths from one-half to two inches. Two thread and diamond mesh in dainty flowered designs. Many pleasing patterns make selection easy for you.

Torchon and Cluny Laces 5¢ yard

Easily laundering torchon in many desirable widths; some in flax effects with insertions to match. White or ecru.

Linen Laces 10¢ yard

Reproductions of linen patterns in white or ecru. Some designs have insertions to match. Widths one-half to three inches.

Embroidery Edges 5¢ yard

A large assortment of embroidery edges, insertions and headings in widths from one-half to three inches. Many attractive patterns.

Imported Val. Laces 12 yds. \$1.50

Imported val. laces and headings to match in round or diamond mesh effects. Clear, distinct patterns. Widths from one-half to two inches. Twelve yards to the bolt at \$1.50.

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# What's Happening in Eastbay Society

(Continued from Preceding Page)

Francisco, where she has taken an apartment in Washington street. Her daughter will join her at the end of her school year in Washington, where the family has made its home for two or three years.

Mrs. Parker has been a frequent visitor to the Eastbay country, having been the guest of Mrs. Clarence Quinn (Lorena McIntyre) whenever the popular navy woman tarried in California.

## NEWEST BUD

Miss Luman heading is the newest accession to the list of debutantes, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Reding making her formal bow at the Century Club last Saturday when scores of friends gathered to greet the newcomer.

In the evening a group of girls and their cavaliers were assembled at Rainbow Lane, under the chaperonage of Mr. and Mrs. Reding.

Among the debutantes who received with the newest bud were the Misses

Mary Julia Crocker, Amanda McNear, Mary Emma Foss, Margaret Williams, Lillian Whitney, Margaret Madison, Olive Warren, Ruth Schindler, Alben McIntyre, Elizabeth Keston, Elizabeth Schindler.

## GOING SOUTH

The John Allen Strouds have gone south this week to join Surgeon and Mrs. J. P. Nelson, who are making their home in San Diego. Miss Katharine Wheeler accompanied Miss Gorgas.

royal style in the outlying country. The Strouven will find many congenial friends in their new environment, albeit it will not be as Berkeley, from whence their absence will be deeply regretted.

As a farewell to the football man and his bride, Miss Mildred Dodge was hostess at a supper at the Hunt home in Claremont on Sunday evening.

Sir Frank and Lady Popham Young were guests last Sunday of the "Charles Duttons at 'Itoselawn,'" a dozen guests having been asked to meet the former Oakland woman and her distinguished husband, who are spending the winter at Stanford Court.

Mrs. Denis O'Sullivan, who leaves soon for New York and thence for London, was house guest at a luncheon given by Miss Mary Phelan at her home that overlooks the bay from the top of the Broadway hill.

Mrs. O'Sullivan is leaving for London, where she will re-establish her home.

## FOR BRIDE-ELECT

Miss Joannette Maxfield is being "rushed" as are few brides-elect in the very early days of the magical period of being an "engaged girl," a half-dozen parties being on the cards thus far.

March has been chosen as the date of her marriage to Harold Cushman Lewis, and so it is that cards are out for a flock of parties, the first, at which Miss Emily Crow will preside as hostess, being a bridge tea on Tuesday, the 17th.

Miss Frances Redman will follow with a roundup of her friends and Miss Maxfield's a bit later, with a lot of little affairs punctuating the days that lie between.

Anticipating the advent of Lent, when the soft-pedal goes on, the debut set is rushing things along to fill

out their calendars before the gray days are on us.

Miss Virginia Smith has sent out cards for a luncheon at the Claremont Country Club on the afternoon of February 16, the honor guest to be Miss Mora Macdonald, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Augustin S. Macdonald. Thirty of the debutante set from both sides of the bay have been hidden to the affair.

And on the same day, Mrs. J. P. Smith will be hostess at bridge, the while the deb's are enjoying each other with their rattlers and chatter.

Miss Helen Kreever and Mrs. James Ward Keeney are returning to California next month, when plans for the wedding of the young western beauty and Dr. Bolling Lee of New York and Richmond will be developed.

The ceremony will be a June affair, with a brave array of attendants and full ceremonial, as befits so charming a bride and so distinguished a benediction.

## FOR ORIENT

The Walton Norwood Moores, sailing on the 28th for the Orient, are having a hectic time saying their adieu.

On Thursday, Mrs. James Dunn was hostess at a luncheon for Mrs. Moore, a dozen guests being asked to meet her.

On the following Thursday, Mrs. Edgar Alton Jones is entertaining in honor of the Piedmont matron at a bridge-tea at the Claremont Country Club.

On the 14th, Miss Elizabeth Moore, daughter of the household, will be hostess at luncheon for forty young friends, largely drawn from the college set. And during the afternoon, Miss Moore will engage a dozen friends at bridge in the tea-room.

Meantime a dozen intimate little gatherings are of everyday happening—the 28th grows closer.

From over the Pacific came the news this week of the arrival of a small son in the household of Lieutenant Commander Alfred Montgomery and Mrs. Montgomery (Alice Claire Smith).

Mrs. John Francis Smith and Miss Libbie Moffat Smith are with the Montgomeries, where they will remain for a month or two.

From all accounts, Miss Smith is in the midst of a feverishly gay season, where the pretty little sub-deb is already immensely popular.

## IN WASHINGTON

One of the salons of Washington is maintained by Senator James D. Phelan, where all sorts of interesting persons congregate, the senator from California having, at the outset of his career, established a reputation for hospitality—a hospitality that favors much of California's traditional attitude of courtesy to the stranger within our gates.

A few days ago he entertained the Peruvian Ambassador Pezet and Madame Pezet as honor guests at dinner, complimentary to the delegates to the Pan-American conference. The other guests were: Dr. Fernando Fuchs, minister of finance of Peru; Dr. Alejandro Gaitanar, Argentine; Dr. Luis Felipe Boria of Ecuador; Dr. Nicholas Veloz (Guillermo) of Venezuela, senator of the Interior and Mrs. Franklin Lane, Senator and Mrs. Robert Owen, Lieut.

tenant Commander and Mrs. Randolph Huntington Miller, Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. R. Fletcher Jr., Mrs. Henry C. Corbin, Miss Gladys Hineley and Dr. Aurelia Reinhardt of Mills College.

The marriage of Miss Mary Henrietta Kittredge and Benjamin McNear has been set for April 17, the ceremony to take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Kittredge in Yonkers, New York.

## ENGAGEMENTS

Informally to their friends, the engagement of Miss Elizabeth Burnham and Dr. Harold Thompson (a son of Dr. Merrill Hill of Redlands) and was graduated from Stanford University, where he was a member of the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity.

Miss Burnham is a member of the Kappa Alpha Theta fraternity at the University of California, of which she is a graduate. She is a sister of Miss Eleanor Burnham, whose betrothal to Wheaton Hale Brewer was announced some months ago.

Both brides-elect have decided upon a June wedding. They are the daughters of Dr. Clarke Burnham of Berkeley, and grand daughters of the late Colonel and Mrs. C. Mason Kline.

Formal announcement of the betrothal of Miss Madeline Becker and Merriam Howell of Belvedere was made on Saturday at a tea given by the bride-elect at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. P. Becker, of Ridge Road, Berkeley. Miss Becker is a member of the Delta Delta Delta sorority and is a graduate of the University of California.

Mr. Howell has also received his

degree from the State University and is a Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity man. He served overseas two years, holding the rank of lieutenant in the United States army.

No date has been named for the wedding.

St. Valentine's Day the marriage of Miss Alice Siskier Williams and Thomas A. Finch, a student in the agricultural college at Davis, is to take place at a quiet home ceremony at the residence of Professor and Mrs. Edward Thomas Williams in Berkeley. Professor Williams is assistant professor of Oriental languages at the State University.

Miss Williams was born in China, where her father was in the consular service for some years, stationed at Shanghai. Before the war, Miss Williams studied in Paris.

Mr. Finch was with the A. E. F. in France, returning after two years' absence. It was in Washington, D. C., that he met his fiancée and her fiancé, first met, soon after his return from overseas.

## ASSEMBLY

A costume party will engage the attention of the beaux and belles of the Berkeley Assembly on Friday evening—a composite Valentine party and a Mardi Gras.

Both the dances there will be a string of dinners. Among the hosts will be the Frank Stringhams, the Raymond Wilsons, and the Dudley Bairds, and a diverting number of go-to-hell affairs.

The Edward Lacey Braytons are hosts to engaging visitors to California—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Buckleton, who have been touring America for some months, with the

bay country, once their habitat, their objects.

They are planning to remain about the bay until they are prepared to return to England.

## WEDDING TONIGHT

At 6:30 o'clock this evening Miss Louisa Huntley will plight her troth to Richard Chamberlain at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight B. Huntley in East Oakland. The home will be artistic in its appointment of spring blossoms, with yellow predominating. The Episcopal ritual will be read by Rev. Francis J. Van Horn.

Mrs. William Chapman of San Francisco will attend Miss Huntley as matron of honor, and the two little flower maidens are to be Miss Elizabeth Dow and Miss Barbara Stubbs, who will be gowned in pale green and cream.

Mrs. Chapman is a graduate of the University of California, and Miss Stubbs is a member of the Delta Chi fraternity.

The bride's gown will be of white silk, with a train and trimmed in old lace. She will wear the conventional veil of tulle and orange blossoms.

Miss Huntley attended Miss Ransom's school, while her future is a graduate of the University of California and member of the Delta Chi fraternity.

Mr. Chamberlain is a son of the late Mrs. R. L. Chamberlain.

The future home of the couple will be in this city, upon their return from a wedding trip through the South.

## PATRIOTIC CALL

Eastbay social and musical folk are manifesting a serious interest in the "Maid of Argonne," which the California Division of the Washington Victory Memorial Building Association will give on February 24 at Euel Hall. Seventy-five Eastbay leaders are acting as patronesses, and many of their number have volunteered their talents to make the affair an artistic success, among them Mrs. T. A. Dickard, who will sing "Lizette," a costume-song. Mrs. Vernon Smith, in a "Chinese Suite" (costume); Lawrence Strauss, in his brilliant number, "The Pipes of Pan"; and Mrs. J. P. McIntyre, in two songs of "The Olden Time," while Misses Frances and Willette Brown, the two charming daughters

of Mrs. Herbert Hamilton Brown, will dance a Latin Quarter dance, surrounded by a bevy of Latin Quarter students. Miss Virginia Marvin, returned from winning fresh laurels in the metropolis, will do a "pas seul" as Pierrette, while Miss Alice Marvin dances throughout the pantomime, with her pupils as fairies, in the happy land of "Au Clair de la Lune." Here Joan London, as Mirella, the toymaker and her little friends the refugees, dream of happier days to come. Miss Alice Clegg, one of Antonio de Grassi's pupils, accompanies them as a sort of "Pier Piper," the dancers from the U. C. C. gym to entertain them with waltzes and a circus act.

The management has enlisted 200 students from local high schools, while a squad of Colonel Nance's overseas men will add realism to the military skirmishes in the last act, when they will enter as a contingent of "The Lost Battalion," rescuing the besieged prisoners in an Argonne chateau.

It is believed that the attendance will warrant the production being given on a larger scale in the near future, as it is desired that Washington shall see that Eastbay can "do its bit" for the national memorial building, for which President Wilson stands forth with a host of directors headed by former President Taft. Elinor Root, Major Rupert

Hughes and Thomas Nelson Page. Tickets for the forthcoming production can be procured at Sherman and Clay's.

The officers under whose aegis the performance is to be given are the president, Mrs. Daniel Eastbrook; vice-presidents, Mrs. William Havens, Herbert Hamurock, Brown, Vernon Smith; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. A. W. Mayor; chairman of dramatics, Mrs. Frederick Samuels.

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# Western Artists

By LAURA BRIDE POWERS

A glorious spring is upon us, and on its wings comes a reawakening of the Art Spirit that has stimulated California painters to expression in the face of what has at times seemed almost a total disinterestedness in the messages.

But it is California. It is spring. And they are artists.

And so the year breaks with a nobler promise of fine things than in those splendid days before the war when California's interpretative work and women were saying his things in a big way.

They have grown in the interim, and so has the man-in-the-street. If each has been out of the ken of the other during those difficult years, the disconnection has brought them again into a warmer friendship. It's in the air.

And now the acid test. The greatest event of the year is the Annual Spring Exhibition. It opens in April at the Palace of Fine Arts, when the setting for the show is at the apogee of its beauty, the acacias in bloom, the jades purple that bank the lagoon, and the air freighted with the perfume of the blossoms.

From every source come indications that the exhibition will register the highest mark recorded by California painters.

Not since the Exposition have they thrown such zeal into their work, or such enthusiasms. And over against the materialism of the day they pit the creative work of the dreamers.

Will the public do its part?—as that part has been done in New York, in Boston, in Chicago, in Washington, during the current season? Never before has there been so successful a season—and that means sales—as the current year, since before the war.

And therefore it is that notice is served upon all who are content with the possession of a picture that the Spring Exhibition is in the wings, and if the urge is not too great to be gainsaid, a showing will be made that will afford a happy chance.

It is a bit early to particularize, but from the spirit of the painters, and the zest with which they are manipulating their brushes, there has never been a richer promise.

Why not wait, Mr. Picassotlover, for that planned-for canvas, until the "material expressions of the invisible, and the spiritual manifestations of the visible" are offered in the Palace by the Laguna by the earnest men and women who are seeking your co-operation, even as you are seeking their spiritual message?

Rembrandt Etchings Ready This Week

The Rembrandt collection of etchings and drawings in the collection of the Laguna by the Palace of Fine Arts, is the climactic art episode of the winter. The end of the week will see the opening of the incomparable collection that is the crown of the Morgan collection, the New York City Library.

The placing of these 400 examples of the great "modern" in artistic chronology is a herculean task, and it is with the devotion of a priest at his altar that the director, J. Nelson Laurvik, is preparing this famous list for art-lovers and students of California.

It is important for an understanding of the progress of the great realist, the first recorded representations of life to the last, covering the whole gamut of human existence.

The exhibition will, like the Zuloaga and the Andrieu exhibitions, have an advance sale of 25 cents, prior to cover the expense of bringing the collection from New York.

Concurrent with the Rembrandt exhibition of prints at the Art Palace, made possible through the generosity of J. P. Morgan, is the presentation of the gift to the Metropolitan Museum of the finest

collection of Albrecht Durers in the world, embracing wood-cuts, drawings and plates. Liking the honors from the British Museum and the Berlin Museum that until recently housed the most complete collections in the world.

American millions are helping to resuscitate art.

A complete history of the authentic plates and wood cuts would reveal many interesting hints, and a great display of patience, and devotion by Mr. Morgan. It is true that the supply of Durer's works has been large, but it is equally true that an institution or individual in possession of an authentic plate never felt like giving it up. It is said by our museum authorities that the future home of every authentic plate by Durer is represented by at least one fine impression.

There are in the collection two-thirds of the wood cuts, as well as two original wood blocks.

Certain of the best of the plates were once the property of George W. Vanderbilt, from whom J. Pierpont Morgan purchased them, the source, too, of most of the Romanesque in the San Francisco loan exhibition. Others were in the collection of Theodore Irwin, who is known as the first of the three great American collectors of this master.

J. P. Morgan gave the Durers he had bought of Mr. Vanderbilt to his nephew, Theodore. These formed the nucleus of his famous collection.

Morgan purchased the Irwin collection en bloc, and for thirty years he had been on the lookout for any that might come into the market. In the smaller museums, such as Bremen, Munich, Hamburg, Basel, Dresden and Milan, there were good examples. It is barely possible that in the recent disbursement of famous pictures in Austria, Mr. Morgan found his chance. The full truth of this may not be known until the plates are assembled on view on February 9. Then certain Durers that are not known in this country will be seen, and the connoisseurs who remember them in European galleries or in private collections will be recognized and their possessive genealogy made known.

Perhaps now that we have entered into Mr. Morgan's good graces, we may be privileged to see the Durers at some future day.

Oakland Gallery's Pictorial Photography

The pictorial photographers have had quite complete possession of the Oakland Art Gallery for a month or more, exhibitions of Louis A. Goetz and Dr. Percy Neumann's work holding interest, not only of technicians in the field, but of the public.

Indeed there is in the controlled work of both these men the fact that are elemental to art in its essential manifestations—composition, color, idealistic conception. And to they seem to work toward a primary conception.

The acceptance of the pictorial photographer as a part of the Oakland Art Association, forming a section thereof, practically ends the long and often cantankerous discussions as to whether photography was an art medium—ends it so far as the Oakland Art Association is concerned. They are now our brothers.

A week from tomorrow, a new exhibition of sketches and small paintings will be offered at the gallery that promises well, many of the working artists around the bay sending over examples of their new work. Inevitably, some charming things are assembled in their happy little sketch exhibitions. And the truth is, tell often they are more truly art than the finished canvas, of which they are but the preliminary study.

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# Women of Alameda County and Their Work

## Oakland Woman's Temple To House Clubs of City Is Believed Possibility

By EDNA B. KINARD.

Of course it is a dream. But dreams sometimes come true. Supposing there should arise in a year—or mayhap ten—a temple to Oakland womanhood, a building that should memorialize those valiant and great deeds which women have done that should stand forever a beautiful testimony to the truth that the women of the city have maintained that great principle of stand-togetherness, would that not be an achievement worth while?

Club houses of their own are at the end of the trail of every organization doing permanent and constructive work in the city. Building funds ever and anon concern the more ambitious where substantial need exists made concrete the hope that some day the hearth fire may be lighted. In the meantime, clubs and leagues and societies are meeting here and there and everywhere, making an effort which would take care of maintenance. There might be opened lunch and tea rooms. There might even be some hotel accommodations. There could be halls and banquet rooms and auditoriums, committee rooms and ball rooms which could be apportioned among the united bodies. Lounge rooms and rest rooms might be common grounds with a staff of executives to look after necessary details.

It takes capital to build. Women do not find it so difficult to accumulate money when the cause is great enough. Three or four hundred thousand dollars are not prohibitive. The building fund could be raised. Even some hard-headed business man might be found to finance an investment which would make him good returns.

Down Los Angeles way the Friday Morning Club with 2000 members is in the midst of plans to erect a \$150,000 building. What one organization in the south can do may be duplicated by the united womanhood of Oakland.

Even now whispers of such an undertaking are passing from lip to lip. The Oakland Club has been put to it to find new quarters before the first of the coming month. It has chosen Hotel Oakland. Oakland Center, California Civic League, has a program which is retarded in large part because of lack of proper facilities. The Professional and Business Women's Club which courageously opened a small headquarters by no means adequate to its 1200 members; Lakeview, Rock Ridge and the members of the American Revolution; the whole list of federated and unfederated clubs, need such club homes as they do not have. Even the Oakland Federation of Mothers' Clubs which has advantage over many others in that its meeting place is

MRS. CLAUDE LEECH, president of Alameda District, California Federation of Women's Clubs, will preside as chairman at the February executive board meeting which will be held in Ebell clubhouse on Saturday. Mrs. Leech will be welcomed back to club activities after a serious illness, during which her club sisters took occasion to shower her with pretty attentions while at Merritt Hospital and while convalescing in her Walnut Creek home.



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## County Union Meeting Theme

Whether a county federation of women's clubs, auxiliary to Alameda district and the California Federation of Women's Clubs is feasible, will be discussed at a special meeting which has been called by Mrs. R. R. Rogers, first vice-president of this district, for Thursday afternoon in Ebell clubhouse. The president and one delegate from each of the federated clubs in Alameda county will have vote in the important session.

County federation is not a new thing and while local leaders have long advocated it, no attempt has been made before to bring such an organization about. Proponents of the plan point out that the political unit is a logical one upon which to organize their activities and that in the matter of understanding and looking out after mutual interests, such as county institutions and their management, they would have the greater influence than in a group consisting of a number of counties. Should a county federation result, it would not affect in any way the existing organizations but add a link between the local and the district body.

Contrast Costa county women before the holidays decided that a federation of this nature was essential and have already established it on a working basis.

It is understood that there will be some objection to the added machinery from a few of the local organizations.

The clubs which will be represented in the session are: Alameda, Adelphi, Research, Berkeley, School Women's, Casa Guidi, Monday Club, Twentieth Century, Oakland, Ebell, Oakland, Alta Vista, Association of Collegiate Alumnae, Bay View Reading, East Oakland Woman's, Fruitvale Woman's, Glenview, Joaquin Miller, Lakeview, Oakland Book, Oakland New Century, Oakland Research, Park Boulevard, Rock Ridge Woman's, Thursday Reading, Country Club of Washington Township, Hill and Valley, Pleasanton Woman's Improvement, San Leandro Alta Mira.

Statistics made by the bureau of statistics of the Pennsylvania department of agriculture show that female farm household help received an average of \$5.53 weekly during the past year.

## Alameda District Convention Plans Will Be Topic

Saturday will give to the club world a dual interest in the February meeting of the executive board of Alameda district, California Federation of Women's Clubs, and the conference of the program committee at which plans will be perfected for the annual convention which the April calendar announces in Alameda. Mrs. Anna L. Littlebury is chairman of the group which is preparing one of the most interesting programs perhaps that has ever been presented to the women of Alameda, Contra Costa, San Joaquin, and Tuolumne counties.

Mrs. A. O. Gott is chairman of the local board making arrangements for the entertainment of the delegates and guests whose headquarters will be the Adelphi club-house, with the Adelphi and Research Clubs the hosts. A three-day convention is announced, opening April 30.

## Playgrounds

Entries for track training are being received on all school and park playgrounds and from the interest manifested by the boys this season the annual spring meet promises to be the largest ever held in Oakland.

In point of organization and number of entries Oakland's annual playground meet is nationally recognized as a model for amateur meets. Last year more than 3000 boys entered the field contests requiring 150 officials to handle the event which took place on Bushrod athletic field.

On Saturday morning of this week the regular weekly conference of playground directors which is usually held in the city hall offices, was held at Bushrod playground in order to demonstrate track conditions and rules to the directors. Walter Christy, who has charge of athletics and track activities at the University of California, addressed the conference on the proper methods of training and on the condition and care of athletic fields. It has been repeatedly demonstrated that no line of work along the lines of physical education in Oakland has been so productive of results as this annual meet and the three days of training that precedes it. In erecting of carriage, general posture training and physical development, Oakland school boys are said to be decidedly above the average.

The boys of Golden Gate playground and Poplar street playground have been playing hockey and these fine spring days see the grass covered athletic fields dotted with swiftly moving players wielding hockey sticks. A friendly rivalry exists between the two playgrounds and a number of matched games have been held. The teams are very evenly matched and the games are close and exciting. On Tuesday evening the plan for next week on the Poplar field, Bernard Underwood is captain of the Poplar team and Alfred Robinson is captain for Golden Gate.

On Saturday afternoon the Flower club, an organization of small girls between the ages of 8 and 9 years, gave an extremely clever and well acted little play known as "The Famous Baby Show." About thirty of the club's forty-three members took part in the production that was enthusiastically applauded by a large audience of mothers and interested friends. The little actors were dressed in the period of Civil War days with bonnets, pinnies, puffs and pantalettes, making a quaint and charming picture as they filed in with their dolls to compete for the prize to be awarded to the best looking baby. Joe Lawrence, in conventional dress suit and high silk hat, with a formidable looking moustache, filled the difficult position of judge with aplomb and poise, even though he was berated and reviled by the disappointed mothers who filed out in disgust when the prize was awarded to the smiling bisque baby belonging to little Myrtle Briley. Myrtle Scanlon, Lucy Cole, May Johnson, May Lawrence and May Briley took the speaking parts in the play and Vera Gray sang a charming little lullaby. After the play, little Misses Cheryl Heyderfeldt, Clarise Heyderfeldt and Dorothy Burland, dressed in Japanese costumes, recited tea and cakes to the guests of the club.

Bushrod 130 pound basketball players are enthusiastically over the prospects for the coming season, having displayed a great amount of talent in the opening game with the Berkeley five on Thursday evening of last week when the Berkeley team barely won out in a 10 to 15 game. Owing to a misunderstanding as to the date of entry to the P. A. A. the Bushrod players were unable to enter, but have sent a special request to the San Francisco headquarters to be allowed entrance. Following are the names of the boys who comprise the team: Hemmie Gordon, Cliff Verbridge, Frank Coppell, Theodore Dym and William Line.

In preparation for a protracted camping trip which the boys of Garfield school playground are planning for the summer vacation, those interested are making a number of short hiking trips on week-end holidays through the near by hills, making notes on camping sites and trips.

On Saturday of last week a group of boys hiked up through Diamond canyon to Redwood canyon, where they cooked lunch over an open fire and spent several hours with games and stunts before returning home. Among those who made up the party were: Ernest Berger, guide; Jean Licoat, James Govan, Al Licoat, Meyer Genster and Worth Marley.

Melrose playground has an enthusiastic athletic club of 250 who are ready at all times to enter into contests in almost any of the popular playground games. On Tuesday a group from the club visited Alameda playground for a matched game in basketball, winning with a score of 13 to 11. Those who played were: Evelyn Quintal, Marie Silva, Evelyn Silva, Hattie Krafuss, Mary Moiso, Bruna Pelligrini, Ida Leonard and Olita Monroe.

## Ebell Will Hear Costs Talk

"Income vs. Outlay" and "What's Part in Reducing the High Cost of Living" will be the timely subject which Ebell will hear Mrs. Annette Adams, United States district attorney in San Francisco, discuss on Tuesday following the February luncheon. Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Aaron Schloss, president of California Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. Elton L. Warner, the recording secretary, whom Ebell sends as representative to the state board, and Mrs. Raymond C. Brooks will share in the honors of the brilliant function. She who comes late with her plea for reservations for the luncheon these days finds nothing but disappointment awaiting her. Ebell has suddenly acquired a new popularity which promises if continued to make even the accommodations of the spacious Harrison street clubhouse all too cramped.

Mrs. Charles H. King, as receiving hostess, will be assisted by Mrs. Minna McGauley, president, the board of directors and a coterie of prominent members in extending Tuesday's hospitality.

The community service section, which has undertaken to accumulate the small fortune of \$20,000 that a memorial in stone may be erected to the pioneer woman's club in the children's wing of Alameda County Public Health Center, is summoning its members to an important session on Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles H. Rowe, curator of the original section will contribute the short story to the Thursday afternoon program which the clever club writers will enjoy.

## Women Legislators Guests

Two of the feminine pathfinders in the State Legislature will be Oakland's guest on Friday next, when Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes and Mrs. Anna Saylor will appear before Oakland Center, California Civic League. When women have rolled up the records that these two brilliant ones have made in difficult and new places, it is fitting that their sisters should acknowledge their achievement. Oakland Center is taking occasion to pay homage this week. Both Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Saylor will participate in the program.

"A Dutch Treat Tea," is arranged following the public meeting, the civic workers being bidden to an informal function, which will have Hotel Oakland as the setting. Among those who will share in the delightful hour are: Mrs. Frank Law, president of Oakland Center; the board of directors, Mrs. Albert E. Carter, director

of Community Property Law Campaign under the Women's Legislative Council; Mrs. Aaron Schloss, president California Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. J. B. Hume, state trustee for industrial farm for Delinquent Women; Mrs. Minna McGauley, president of Ebell; Mrs. Joseph Kearney, chair man extension committee California Civic League; Miss Martha Hams, secretary Women's Legislative Council; Mrs. C. H. Mitchell, director Women's Legislative Council; Mrs. E. B. de Rome, Mrs. George Fredericks, Mrs. E. C. Robinson, Mrs. Edward Morgan, Mrs. Miss Frances Wilson, Miss Edna B. Kinard, Miss Edith Booth, Miss Florence Dean, Mrs. Rudolph Miller, Mrs. H. H. Kead, Mrs. A. F. Coffin, Mrs. J. George Short, Mrs. Amy Townsend and as many members as will make reservations with Mrs. B. C. Eddy.

## Program of Travel Is Unique

Twentieth Century club women will roam England on Tuesday when in place of the conventional program the travel section will substitute a unique entertainment in which none but members of the club family will participate. Mrs. W. H. Ratcliff will present unfamiliar notes of American and English relations. "Parks of London" will be described by Mrs. James B. Barryhill and cathedral towns will be illustrated in a talk by Mrs. Arthur Starr Eakin.

For the musical feature Ellabethan and old English songs will be revived by Mrs. Clarence W. Page. Mrs. Mabel W. Calfee will act as accompanist.

An informal tea will round out the reception.

Already election plans are brewing. The February calendar carries the announcement that applications must be presented before March 1 to the membership committee.

Child Welfare Day was celebrated last week when Berkeley playgrounds, the California School for Deaf and Blind and the Detention

## Town and Gown Will Designate Committeemen

Town and Gown members will have before them tomorrow the matter of electing the nominating committee into whose hands will be placed the increasingly difficult task of finding candidates willing to assume club responsibilities and remaining their by-laws to meet present conditions. The present board of directors includes: President, Mrs. Oscar T. Barber; vice-president, Mrs. E. McLenagan; treasurer, Mrs. Walter C. Bladale; assistant treasurer, Mrs. R. R. Venable; recording secretary, Mrs. Charles Deleth; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. Ramsey Probasco; auditors, Mrs. George Barker and Mrs. Peter T. Riley.

## Legislature Citizenship Will Be League Theme

"Teaching Citizenship" and "The State Legislature" will be topics of the week's meeting of Oakland Center, California Civic League, falls upon Friday, February 13. Dr. K. C. Leebick, department of history, University of California, Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes of Oroville and Mrs. Anna Scanlon, first assembly women in California, will be the speakers.

The program chairman will be Mrs. A. F. Coffin. "Elements of Order in Disorder" will be presented by Dr. Jacob Nieto of the Temple Sherith Israel, San Francisco, at the program of Friday, February 27.

## Mrs. Short to Address School Section of Club

Mrs. J. George Short, member of the board of education, will address the school section of Lakeview Club tomorrow when the members assemble in the teachers' lunch room in Lakeview school. Mrs. Norman Campbell is curator of this group which is giving its interest actively to educational matters.

Mrs. Lewis F. Bauer, president, will preside at a meeting of the executive board on Tuesday, which will dispose of the month's accumulation of business.

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# News of Alameda County Fraternalities and Lodges

**OAKLAND REBEKAH LODGE**  
Oakland Rebekah Lodge No. 16 met Saturday evening, January 31, in Odd Fellows Temple. Lucy Lovise Ross, noble grand, presiding. The visiting committee reported Sister Alma Clark improving. Sister Mary Cummings feeling better than she had for some time. Sister Rozier's little son greatly improved. Sisters Josephine Hamelin, Laura Elmer, Lella Telle, Mary Hughes and Ethel Zink were reported sick, also the daughter of Loretta Lewis. Sister Dora Johnson is at home with a little daughter and would be glad to have Rebekahs call.

Three applications for membership were handed in. So many of the sicknesses that the drill was postponed until Saturday evening, February 7.

After lodge closed the members enjoyed games and a social evening. A sickle was taken in by the members of the order are cordially invited. Get ready for a big time February 28.

**GOOD WILL REBEKAHS**  
Good Will Rebekah lodge will hold a Valentine dance in Souza's hall, Melrose, Friday evening, February 13. There will be good music and a hearty welcome is extended to all. The regular whist party is held the last Friday of the month.

**SUNSET REBEKAH LODGE**  
Sunset Rebekah Lodge met Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows hall, Noble Grand Grace Vels presiding. One candidate was taken in by the committee and a committee of investigation appointed on the application of two candidates. On Wednesday evening, February 11, a Valentine party will be held.

**UNITED ARTISANS**  
The young ladies of the United Artisans (White and Gold Club) will entertain their friends on Friday evening, February 13, at Corinthian hall, Pacific building. A St. Valentine dance has been planned by the young ladies to which many invitations have been issued. Cards will be a pastime for those who do not enjoy dancing. A short program has been arranged, besides other novel features. All Artisans and friends are invited.

**GOLDEN LINK REBEKAHS**  
Noble Grand Ida Vass and Vice Grand Janet Russell, the newly installed officers, presided at Golden Link Rebekah lodge last Tuesday evening. A letter of condolence was ordered sent to the bereaved family of the late Sister Annie Johnson, whose funeral took place January 31.

Members reported improving are: Sisters Wentworth, Daniels, Ingham and Beach. The latter leaves shortly for San Jose.

A rising vote of thanks was given Sister Toal and committee having charge of installation January 27. Brother Gore drilled the team for initiation which will take place Tuesday evening, February 24, in Woodman hall, Fruitvale.

**LYON BELLEF CORPS**  
Lyon Bellef Corps, No. 6, met on Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. at I. O. O. F. hall, President Mary Hughes presiding. The social and relief committee reported having made 17 calls and a number of the members were reported as improving.

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**"Twas a Wonderful Day of Joy for All the Little Pals"**

By AUNT ELSIE.

Wait a minute, Friend World! Stop fussing about the H. C. L. and the Wave of Crime. Here's some REAL news. Perhaps you thought as you strolled down Broadway Wednesday afternoon that it'd be old Broadway was just the busiest, noisiest, busiest spot in Ont. But then believe me, World, YOU THOUGHT WRONG! Your latitude and your altitude were mixed. You should have got about one block east and one block up if you wanted to find the JAZZIEST SPOT in Oakland Town. Up to The TRIBUNE roof, where the girls of the Aunt Elsie Club and their mothers and friends were having a PARTY.

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**UNION TRIBUNE**  
Union Tribe No. 137, exalted, met on Thursday evening, January 29, when a large class of pale-faces were adopted. Several applications are on file awaiting adoption. The members of the lodge present were: Past Sachem Spah of Teton Tribe, Past Sachem Gregory and Sachem Duarte of Shenandoah Tribe No. 121. Brother Dray of Genesee Tribe No. 207 and Brothers Horton and Tonn of Abwashee Tribe No. 58. Among the members taken in by card was Brother J. F. Newman, former district deputy great sachem of Colorado.

The captain of the degree team expects great rivalry between the two tribes.

who expressed a desire to compete for places on the team. The tribe hopes to move into large quarters soon, the temporary hall not being large enough. Visitors are always welcome.

**SECURITY BENEFIT**  
Oakland Council No. 137, Security Benefit Association, received fifteen applications for membership at a recent meeting. Friday, February 6, a class initiation was conducted at 1915 Grove street. Following the initiation the class was entertained and light refreshments were served.

**PARAMOUNT LODGE**  
Paramount Lodge conferred the rank on a class of five last Wednesday evening. A large delegation of visitors were present to witness the work, which was put on well. After the ceremony General Ames of the Uniform Rank gave a short address on the progress made in uniform rank work in this section of the state. Lodge was then adjourned to meet in the banquet room, Local Temple No. 7, Pythian Sisters, were invited to join. A report by Brother J. C. Samuels was called on for a speech and responded with a talk on "Pythianism," complimenting Paramount and predicting a fine future. The most excellent chief of Local temple also made a few remarks, urging increased activities in membership and thanking this lodge for the banquet invitation.

The origin rank will be conferred next Wednesday. Visiting members are always welcome.

**CONCORDIA CLUB**  
The Concordia Rebekah Lodge No. 152, I. O. O. F., held their regular meeting at a Haven Hall, 129 Twelfth street, every Monday. Last Monday night there was an installation in English, and after this all the lodge work will be conducted in

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Oakland Lodge, No. 103, Knights of Pythias, met Thursday evening, February 5, at 8 o'clock. The rank was held last Monday evening in this lodge, at which time a number of candidates were initiated.

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# NEWS OF LODGES

**YERS' NIGHT**  
To be held February 18. Two applications were balloted upon and one application was presented. Class initiation will be held during March by the new degree staff.

Next Tuesday evening an open forum will be held. Current topics will be discussed and Dr. Harvey B. Franklin will be chairman of the evening.

**ARGONAUT REVIEW, MACABEES**  
Argonaut Review, No. 59, of the Women's Benefit Association of the Macabees met Wednesday, February 4, in Native Sons' hall, Commander Payne presiding. Mrs. May and Mrs. Bodiner were welcome visitors. Mrs. Bodiner was accompanied by the return by ballot. A class of candidates will be initiated next week. It was announced that Commander Payne had been elected president and Carrie Arnest re-elected secretary for the past term.

The association at their quarterly meeting held in San Francisco recently. The sunshine committee reported quite a few members on the sick list. On account of sickness the snowball dance will be cancelled. Mrs. Brown was appointed Ensign One and Mrs. De Gure Ensign Two. Mrs. Berkeley, Cambray, Wanderhurst, Reynold and Miss Aldredge were appointed guards. A Valentine box party is arranged for next Wednesday. All members are urged to attend. There will be refreshments which the committee will serve. Mrs. Ridley being chairman. Sympathy was extended to Selma Anderson upon the loss of her brother.

**CHEROKEE COUNCIL**  
Cherokee Council No. 137, Degree of Pocomoon met Monday evening in the tepee, Masonic Temple, Pocomoon Hilda Hawkins presiding at the stump with her respective chiefs. Interesting business was transacted. The order of business was unanimously elected Winona for the ensuing term. Sister D. Meyers was raised to second counselor. Under the new officers the order of business was made by members and a visitor from Chico. Rose Hapken reported progress on the whist party to be held by Cherokee members February 23.

**ENCINA LODGE, I. S.**  
Encina Lodge No. 390, I. S. of the B. of L. P. and B. held their regular meeting Tuesday evening, February 3. Arrangements were made to celebrate the third anniversary on February 17, Sisters Schlutsky, Passur and Garas in charge. The first card party this season will be held at 4183 Emerald street, near Forty-first and Broadway, Thursday evening, February 12. Two candidates all being initiated next meeting and all members are urged to attend.

**OAKLAND TENT, MACABEES**  
Oakland Tent, No. 17, The Macabees, was highly pleased with the large attendance of members last Monday evening. During the business session several members were reported as improving. Resolutions of condolence were adopted in the matter of the deaths of Sir Knights Warren S. Rudloff, Thomas R. B. of Pocomoon and Earl Rapner. Under the good of the order, Captain G. R. Price, "dead ones" defeated Captain H. D. Lesse's "live ones" in the club. A handsome surprise Record Keeper J. F. Fane with a gold mounted fountain pen, which came as a gift from the active tent members in honor of the record keeper's birthday. The tent making preparation to celebrate its silver anniversary February 16. The degree team will initiate a class of candidates next Monday evening.

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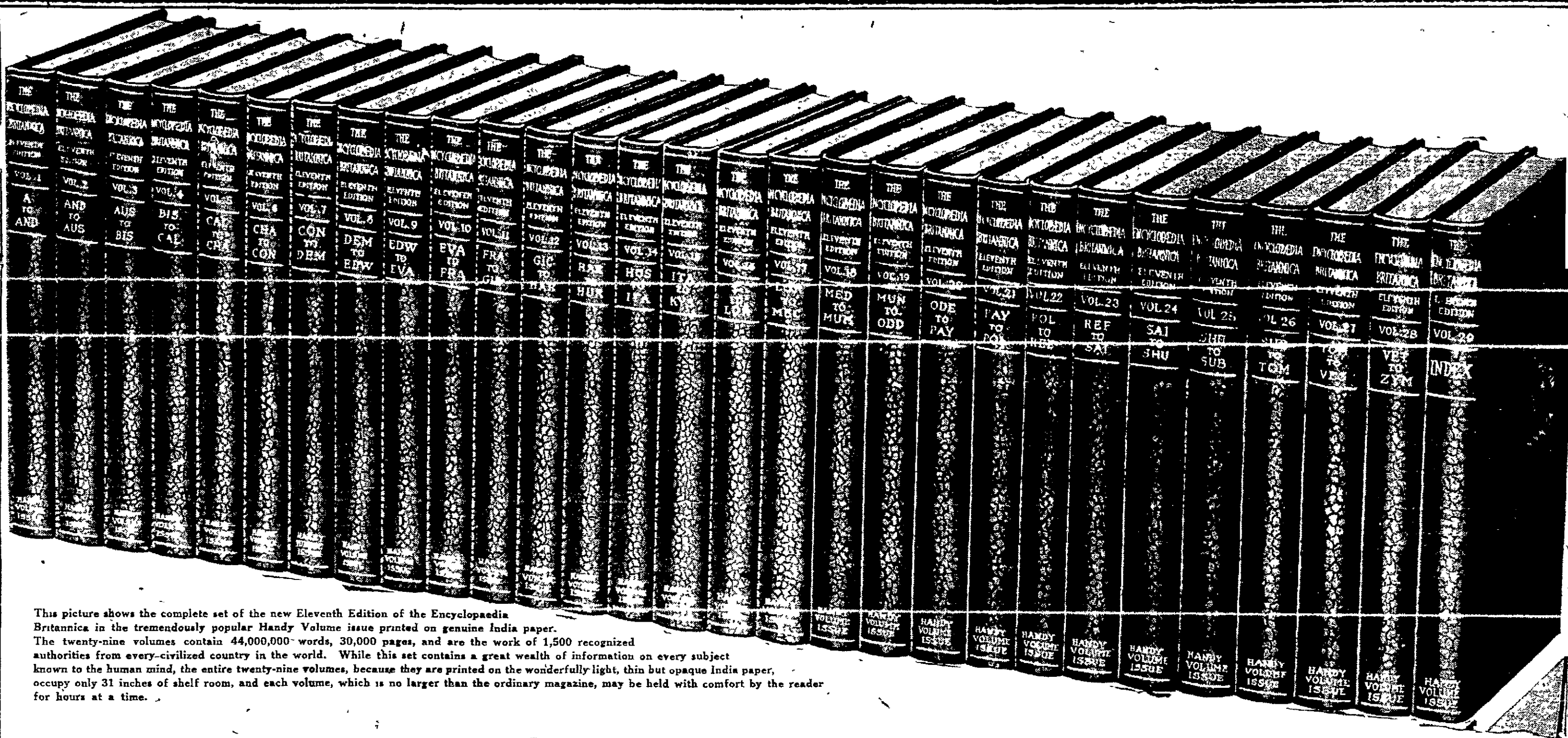
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# Minneapolis Symphony Will Offer Interesting Program in Oakland

## Oberhoffer Is to Lead Forces Here

By ROY HARRISON DANFORTH  
The charm of the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra easily lasts from season to season. So, unwilling to wait longer than necessary, I heard the organization Friday evening in San Francisco and shall be no means less hearty in my welcome tomorrow evening at the Auditorium Theater. The qualities that we have learned to expect in Emil Oberhoffer's many-voiced instrument, the precision and the unity, the marvelous exploits in tone-color, the intelligent phrasing, the marvellous tone: All of these it offers this year as it has offered before.

The program which Mr. Oberhoffer will offer tomorrow evening—the third attraction in the Arst Concert Series under Zanette W. Potter's direction—is as attractive as any of those he chose for about the bay. It contains Beethoven's great exploit in symphonic "program music," the Pastoral Symphony and other selections from the more modern repertoire. This is the program:

- Symphony No. 6 in F Major, "Pastoral," Op. 68.....Beethoven
- Allegretto ma non troppo (The Awakening of Joyful Feelings on Arrival in the Country)
- Andante molto mosso (By the Brook)
- Allegro (Village Festival)
- Allegretto (The Storm)
- Allegretto (The Shepherd's Song—Thanksgiving After the Storm)
- Last three movements played without pause
- Prelude to "The Afternoon of a Faun".....Debussy
- Musique from "Le Maitre Chanteur de Strasbourg".....Mendelssohn
- (a) Overture
- (b) Scherzo
- (c) Nocturne
- Two Paintings for Orchestra.....Borowski
- Portrait of a Young Girl
- The Festival

JASCHA HEIFETZ, the sensational violinist whose first recital will be given today in San Francisco.



Pupils of Miss Elizabeth Simpson gave the program at a musicale and tea at her studio in Berkeley recently. Those who played were Miss Helen MacGregor, Miss Gladys Slayley, Miss Helen Merchant, Mrs. Ernest Williams, Miss Esther Wann and Mrs. Richard Martin.

## Heifetz Gives His First Recital Today

Jascha Heifetz is to face four enormous crowds at the recitals that he will give in San Francisco, beginning this afternoon. In lieu of the originally advertised two big events at the Auditorium, Heifetz, and his local representative, Sally C. Oppenheimer, in order to insure San Francisco perfect concerts, altered their plans at the eleventh hour, and now the violinist will appear at the Columbia Theater this afternoon and a week from Sunday afternoon, and at Scotch Rite Hall on Tuesday and Friday nights of next week.

Today's program includes the Violin Concerto in D minor, Schubert-Wilhelmi, "Ave Maria," Mozart "Minuet," Chopin-Wilhelmi Nocturne in E major, Beethoven-Auer "Chorus of Dervishes" and "Marche Orientale," Tchaikovsky "Andante Cantabile" and Paganini Caprice No. 24. Tuesday night's list includes Bruch's Scottish Fantasy, Beethoven's "Chaconne," Handel "Margherita," Paganini "Caprice," Liszt's "Liebestraube," Moszkowsky "Guitarre" and Paganini "Pavane."

## Federation Has Own Magazine

Charles C. Drua, publicity chairman, and other officers of the California Federation of Music Clubs, are responsible for the institution of a monthly publication to contain federation news and known as the "Official Bulletin," of which the first number, that for February, has just reached this desk. It ought to go a considerable ways toward keeping up the interest of the members and promoting the welfare of the federation. Mr. Drua makes a request that members of federated organizations, which here include the Alameda Music Teachers' Association and the Wednesday Morning Chorus Club, act as his contributors.

Mrs. Cecil Frahm, president of the federation, writes the initial article, one of encouragement to members and an announcement of an approaching second annual convention in Fresno in May. The first annual convention was held last year in Oakland.

Attention is called to the young people's musical contests, for which \$200 awards have been set aside for men and women singers, pianists and violinists. Anton Embe, supervisor of music in the Berkeley schools, whose headquarters in that city are in the Shattuck Hotel, has charge of the preliminary contests for Northern California.

## "Scheherazade" in First U. C. Program

The Eastbay public manifests the same interest in symphony music as do the patrons of this popular form of music in San Francisco. The original announcement from the University of California that a series of four concerts would be played in Harmon Gymnasium during February and March by the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra has been met with a steady response from the public for seats. Alfred Hertz, the conductor of the orchestra, will find waiting for him in Berkeley an audience quite as large and as enthusiastic as has been coming to the Carus Theater in San Francisco. That is, he will unless the influenza taboo prevails.

Subsequent to the original announcement, Tina Lerner has been engaged as one of the soloists. Mrs. Lerner has been filling the Players' Club Theater in San Francisco and has proven to be one of the most popular and accomplished pianists who have played in San Francisco this season.

Horace Britt will be the soloist for the first concert, which will be held Thursday evening in Harmon Gymnasium if the health authorities permit. Mr. Britt's host of friends increase each time he appears in public and he will be well received at the symphony premiere in Berkeley Thursday night. Mr. Hertz announces the following program for that evening:

Overture, "Scheherazade".....Wagner  
"Dance Macabre," Opus 40, Saint-Saens  
"Kol Nidrei" for "Cello and Orchestra".....Bruch  
Suite, Opus 35, "Scheherazade".....Horace Britt

## The full program, which commences at 8:30 o'clock, is as follows:

Sonata for Violin and Piano in G minor, Op. 20.....Arthur Foote  
Sonata for Violin and Piano, Op. 15, No. 2, in G minor.....Franz Schubert  
Sonata A major.....Gustav Frick

Groups of songs were rendered by Mrs. Orrin Kip McMurray and Mrs. George Stone, while the piano offerings were by Miss Myra Palache, Mrs. Maybel West, Miss Carol Day and Miss Seta Stewart. A British and American program is being arranged for the morning of February 18, with MacDowell, John Carpenter, Wintter Watts, Trehanne, Malinsson, Max Mayer, A. Hummel and other composers represented. Among the participants will be Mrs. Adolph de Fremery, Mrs. Henry May, Mrs. Grace W. Jones, Miss Harriet Thompson, Mrs. John Beckman, Mrs. Louis H. Dyke, Mrs. Orrin Kip McMurray, Mrs. Downing and Mrs. Beckman.

Early nineteenth century music was the theme which received chief attention at the week's meeting of the Elude Club. Schumann's "Carnaval," selections of Jakobovitch, Liszt, Mendelssohn, Chopin, Mendelssohn and others were played. Those who contributed the interesting program were Miss Beatrice Lacerda Sherwood, Mrs. Ethel Barthes, Mrs. Frank Thatcher, Mrs. James Ralph Bessette, Miss Kathleen Lake and Mrs. Sydney M. Stone.

## New Jewish State Launches First Ship

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"But a Jewish nation will never indulge in warships," said Cohen. "With England as the mandatory power, who could wish to be better protected?"

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7.—General Wood seems to be as unafraid in matters political as he has gained a reputation for being in affairs military. The establishing of headquarters here to further his candidacy is proof of this. He is not carrying out the policy of another candidate, which was, hands off California and leave it to the favored son, John A. McGee, announced to be in charge, is a personage of much political and some military experience, which ranges from the United States proper to Guam, of which island he was once the governor. Considering this bold challenge, and the manifest friendliness in California for Senator John-on and Hoover, nobody would seem to be in a way to have a walk-over. However, the proponents of the favored son should not be dismayed, especially when they read the list of those who are to turn out and gather a fund to further his candidacy, prepared by Chairman Rosseter. It embraces most of the rustlers who were active in the Liberty loan drives, and many of the bankers and captains of big business in this city. Any candidate with such backing from home might feel that he has a good send-off.

#### Discussion of the President's Visit

The announcement that the President intends coming to California to recover his health in its balmy air and recuperative zone has started orthodox Democrats to guessing. Some are inclined to hold that the reason and explanation are bona fide—California being the best place for recuperation in the world; while others are of the opinion that proximity to the Democratic National Convention is behind the move. But the President is not the only Democrat, apparently, who needs to recuperate. Those who, not long ago, were swelling the chorus in favor of former Secretary McAdoo now seem to be suffering from throat paralysis. They may be recuperating by maintaining what might be termed a reverberating silence. The "crown prince" has been dropped with a thud that resounds through all the presidential discussions and distractions. But when the President comes, whatever the inspiration of his visit, he will receive a befitting Californian welcome.

#### The Case of the Mt. Vernon

The opinion is expressed by the army transport chief that it is not expected that any arrests will be made in connection with the causes of the troopship Mt. Vernon breaking down at sea and having to return after proceeding 800 miles on her way to Vladivostok. Whether there was sabotage or not, there is evidence that the great effort was sent away in ill-condition—even that officer of the ship expressed opinions directly contrary to those of the transport officers as to the seaworthiness of the ship. While the transport service is not a strict arm of the navy, the public will at once recall the Sims charges, and the many disclosures as to the Federal handling of shipping as war emergencies, and conclude it is another instance. It doesn't seem to have been due to any craft or malignity, but to mere incompetency. Some people who found themselves in general authority disagreed with some other people in subordinate authority, and there was no body above them to call a halt in the squabble, though some hundreds of lives were in jeopardy. And the officials in charge are still "milling," not yet being able to establish, or at least to disclose, just what was the matter.

#### Prohibition Helps the Theaters

San Francisco theatrical managers say that prohibition has had a very beneficial effect on the show business. Money that formerly went over bars is now evidently moving its way to box office and time that was spent in drink emporiums is now passed in witnessing stage presentations, largely of the moving picture variety. Several new and costly theaters have been planned and financed, in most eligible locations, particulars of which have been duly chronicled in the news columns. The recent incorporation of the business of "Loew's Theatrical Enterprises" into "Loew's Inc." was for the purpose of raising \$5,000,000 additional capital for expansion. A great deal of this was to be had out in San Francisco and vicinity, and probably a lot of it came to the Pacific Coast. Loew's Inc. is represented by A. C. Blumenthal of San Francisco who has been devoting almost his entire time for six months to the purchase of existing theaters and the projection of new ones in the territory ranging from San Diego to Seattle.

#### Blue Sky Law Effective

The Pan Motor expedition, dispatched around the world in the trial and conversion of its officers, and the country, sent its tentacles into the Western States. The effort is to secure a permit to sell stock in California, which appears to have been regarded as a most inviting field for that sort of exploitation. Well, so it is to reveal how the mining, oil stock, water rights, and other schemes for getting rich by accumulating great and sudden wealth used to flourish. Note, attending the vigilance committee, the

this rich field with the Pan Motor proposition, California's Blue Sky law, as enforced by the corporation commissioner, kept them out. We must tally one for the Blue Sky law. Also give credit to the official who resisted all efforts to get around it. The success of the Pan Motor scheme elsewhere, which was able to gather millions on an automobile factory that never existed except for promotion purposes, was a most astounding revelation. In automobile matters the country was supposed to be reasonably sophisticated. But nothing seems able to withstand thoroughly organized and artistic promotion.

#### Possibly a Far-Reaching Case

A case has come before Judge Graham that may involve a principle beyond the matter at issue. The tendency of business men to make their residence outside the city while all their business interests are here has eliminated a large element from a voice in city affairs, one which would be powerful in the interest of good government. Generally it amounts to total disfranchisement, for a great many commuters, especially those who live in smaller towns, do not identify themselves with the affairs of their residential section, and omit to vote at all. It is understood that such impetus has been given to the greater city movement has been from this cause. If it shall be established that a commuter has the right to vote where his greater interests are centered instead of where he sleeps, there would likely be an end to the agitation that periodically distracts the greater communities about the bay. The case at bar involves the rival claims of public administrators to handle the estate of a man who lodged at Melrose and conducted a business in this city. This may involve a question different from that of the elective franchise, but it trends in the same direction.

#### Invading Symphony

The Minneapolis symphony orchestra, comprising eighty-five players, is here on its third visit. There may be some wonder that its coming was not more emphatically heralded, as it evidently met with such encouragement on its two former visits as to justify coming again. The fact that San Francisco's symphony affairs are very considerably shaped by the strong resident organization that maintains an orchestra which is now in the midst of a season may be some explanation of a lack of enthusiasm over a visiting and comparatively insignificant organization and the possibility of a surfeit of this class of harmony can hardly be relished. The touring of an orchestra organized in a part of the country not considered to be sophisticated as to culture and challenging such a pretentious and expensive orchestra as that maintained in this city evinces an aggressive spirit. The coming of the Boston orchestra, or that of Cincinnati, or Chicago, might be looked on with comparative complacency; but this wild Western aggression is presuming. It also affords an uncomfortable comparison in being in such large measure self-sustaining—at least in not requiring such a thumping bonus for its support.

#### Aboriginal Logic

The Blackfoot Indian chief who lectured in the city recently said a good many things that are interesting. When Columbus landed and the white crusade began there were four million American Indians in that part of the North American continent comprising the United States, now there are 250,000. No ethnologist has ever proved that the red man was evolved from any other race, hence its great antiquity. The alien comes here and after five years is allowed to vote; the Indian who has been here always isn't allowed to vote at all. Indians fought in the Civil War to free the slaves, but have not been made free themselves. Ten thousand Indians volunteered in the recent great war for liberty, bought six millions of Liberty bonds and gave two millions to the Red Cross, but have not themselves been made free. Many of the best citizens are in favor of giving the Indians citizenship, but the main obstacle seems to be abolishing the Indian bureau, which provides millions of dollars a year as salaries to officers and employees. The Indian question isn't a problem at all—"just handle the Indian in a civilized way; don't 'civilize' him." The argument is epigrammatic, to say the least.

#### Gompers Here Thirty Years Ago

The defeat of Samuel Gompers as a delegate from the labor leaders' council to the American Federation of Labor created much surprise in labor circles here, it being generally supposed that he had a life mortgage on that position. He started from a cigar makers' organization, having followed that line of industry in his earlier days. His first appearance in San Francisco was when he came here some thirty years ago as a delegate to the National Convention of Cigar Makers. Since then his progress in labor affairs has been steady and continuous. He has certainly multiplied in quantities of a leader. As might be expected from such a long domination in such an aggressive organization he has developed one of those who for some years have been trying to make his way as president of the federation. Not long ago the effort took the form of a proposition to create a position to be known as historian and to install him in it at twice the salary of an education president. But it failed to appeal

to him. The importance with which he has been regarded in national politics is indicated by the close relations he has maintained with the national administration. Its attitude toward labor is without doubt due to the influence that Gompers has been able to exert.

#### When War's Alarums Sounded

TUESDAY, Dec. 22, 1846.—A courier arrived last evening from the north with the startling intelligence that forty or fifty mounted Californians had sallied from the hills in the vicinity of San Francisco and captured several Americans, among them Mr. Bartlett, chief magistrate of that jurisdiction. [Washington Bartlett, who was elected Governor forty years later, and who died eight months after his inauguration.] Captain Weber, as soon as the news reached him at San Jose, started with fifty mounted volunteers in pursuit; and fifty more are to leave Monterey this morning under Captain Maddox.

FRIDAY, Jan. 8, 1847.—We have as yet no further intelligence in reference to the party of Californians who carried off Mr. Bartlett of San Francisco. He had gone into the country, it seems, to attend to some of his official duties when he was captured, and is now being detained as a hostage.

THURSDAY, Jan. 14.—The small party of Californians who recently took up arms on the bay of San Francisco soon increased to two hundred. They had captured Mr. Bartlett, the chief magistrate of the jurisdiction, and several other Americans, whom they were holding as hostages. Captain Marston, with fifty men from the Savannah; Captain Maddox, with a company of volunteers, and Captain Weber, with another band of resolute spirits, met them. A general and decisive engagement was anticipated; but after a few hours of pretty sharp fighting, the Californians withdrew from Santa Clara, which was entered by our forces. A flag of truce was sent, and the leading spirits on both sides assembled under the shadows of a great oak. The Californians stated that they had taken up arms, not to make war on the American flag, but to protect themselves from the depredations of those who, under the color of the flag, were plundering them of their cattle, horses and grain; and that, on assurance that these acts of lawless violence should cease, they were ready to return quietly to their homes. These demands were not made in a spirit of menace, but with that moral firmness which belongs to a deep sense of wrong. They were acceded to, and the parties separated, never again, I hope, to meet as belligerents.—From the diary of Rev. Walter Colton, first American Alcalde at Monterey.

#### Should Interest Petalunans

MONDAY, Dec. 7, 1846.—The simplest article for the table is often beyond the reach of your money here. I have found it so difficult to procure a few eggs, when required, that I have gone to keeping hens. I purchased six of an Indian woman for six dollars, and a rooster for fifty cents. On asking the woman why she charged only half price for the rooster she replied that the fellow laid no eggs, and as for his crowing, that did nobody any good. Sounder reasons than these could not be furnished in a much higher place than a hen-coop. The habits of these hens are a little singular. They are perfectly tame, and are as much at home in the kitchen as the cook. They never trouble themselves much about a nest, but deposit their eggs wherever they find it most convenient. One takes the tea tray, another the ironing table, a third the oven, and there is one that always gets into the cradle. She is not at all disturbed by the tossing of the little fellow on whose premises she is intruding. Neither she nor any of her feathered sisters cackle when they leave the nest. They don't seem to think that anything worth making an ado about has come to pass. The rooster, it is true, jacks up a little and perhaps feels a feather taller. But this is the vanity of his sex. There are a great many who crow over what others have done.—From the diary of Rev. Walter Colton, first American Alcalde at Monterey.

#### Extent of the Chinese Boycott

When the Chinese merchants of this city not long ago inaugurated a boycott on the Japanese by making a bonfire with a lot of Japanese goods it was supposed that this was merely a local affair, the doings of Chinese located in San Francisco and other bay centers, in retaliation for the taking of Shantung by the Japanese. It now turns out that it was part of a national movement. It originated in China, and has extended all over the world where there are Chinamen. It is estimated that this movement has already cost Japan \$1,000,000,000 in loss of trade and transportation. One Japanese steamship line which had been largely engaged in carrying passengers up and down the Yangtze river and to and from Shanghai, reports that it has already lost \$330,000,000, with the end not yet in sight. Evidently the Chinese are able to teach all others something about the gentle art of boycotting.

#### A Famous Resort Changes Hands

The recent purchase of Vichy Springs by Southern Californians is an indication of renewed and extended interest in health resorts of the State. The late Merwyn Bondine spent more than a half-million in building a magnificent

hotel and beautifying the grounds of this resort. The hotel burned down years ago, sharing the fate of many resort hotels, since which time the springs have been neglected. Those who purchased the property within the last fortnight previously had the waters analyzed, and it is claimed to have been found that their remarkable effects are due to radium. On that basis the new proprietors will expend a quarter of a million in the restoration and development of the property. This is the first considerable movement in the rejuvenation of California resorts. It is felt to be justified by their growing popularity with tourists, largely consequent upon their accessibility through good roads.

#### Spanish Supplanting German

When one remembers the many translations of German books—literary, scientific and sociological—that filled the shelves of booksellers before the war, and observes that now on the same shelves not one such translation can be found, he wonders what has taken their place to satisfy the demand of the American reading public for foreign books. The answer may be that such intellectual demand is supplied, at least in part, by the suddenly increased number of translations by Spanish authors, particularly of Blasco Ibanez—who, by the way, has arrived on his first visit and will give readings here. He is a guest of the University Club. The Spanish literary field has been almost terra incognita to us, notwithstanding that Spain has a great number of literary masters. These are now in a way to get a hearing from the great English speaking and reading public. This will naturally open the floodgates of Central and South American literature, which, though extensive and meritorious, has heretofore been hidden from us. A very popular author is Eduardo Zonacois, a Cuban-born Castilian, who is introduced to an English reading public in two translations, "Their Son," and "The Necklace." He is of the school of Valdes, Galdos and Pardo-Bazan, though perhaps a little more robust. He is very prolific, having written ten successful plays, about thirty novels, two books of the war, many volumes of criticism and thousands of newspaper articles.

#### Return of Two Bills

Former Senator William C. Galton, recently returned from New York, is enthusiastic on the future of silver and the consequent benefit to a large contingent of silver miners in California and Nevada, whose properties have been closed down for a quarter of a century, during which time they saw silver recede in market value from \$1.29 to 50 cents. He expects it to go to \$1.50 very shortly, and says there are experts in New York so sanguine as to predict that it will eventually reach \$2. "Bill" Umack, athletic authority and expert, has returned from overseas, where he had charge of Y. M. C. A. and K. of C. army athletics. Baseball received a great impetus as an international sport through the interest aroused by the games between the various divisions of the A. E. F. The French were at first quite apathetic, but finally became regular umpire-baiting fans. The returned athlete is of the opinion that baseball did more than anything else to civilize the Filipinos (having been instrumental in popularizing it in the islands), and that it will have a like effect on Europe.

#### Demand for Convention Tickets

The demand for tickets of admission to the Democratic national convention, great at the outset, has been increasing by leaps and bounds. Not only has the local committee been swamped with applications, but business firms, agencies of eastern concerns and private citizens find their mail burdened with requests that writers be "fixed up" when they arrive, so that they can readily get in and see the big show. It seems to be considered that convention favors can be much more readily obtained and will be more gladly dispensed in California than was customary when the convocation was set for an eastern city. It is not remembered that there was such an early and eager rush four years ago at St. Louis, or eight years ago at Baltimore. It would seem to argue that a large calculation is being made for a trip to California in June, and that the visitors are relying on Californian hospitality not only to see the natural wonders to the best advantage, but to see the great sporadic event that is to be pulled off, and that is more national than Californian.

#### Commendation of the Annual

Although THE KNAVE disclaims any personal credit for that admirable publication, THE TRAVELER ANNUAL, he cannot forego giving place to this commendation of it, addressed to him possibly in the belief that some of its excellencies are the work of his hand and brain: "The enterprise shown by THE TRAVELER in its 1920 ANNUAL has aroused a feeling of regret among our citizens that nothing similar is done for San Francisco. Time was when we could boast of an almanac almost if not entirely equal to those published by the New York papers; but it has been many years since that almanac made its last appearance. However, as we apparently have no publisher who sees his way to do that again for our city, the hope has been expressed that next year THE TRAVELER will bring out a San Francisco Bay An-

ual that will give as interesting statistics concerning our city as the 1920 Annual does of yours."

#### Police Court Disclosures

The grand jury is certainly turning a searchlight on the police courts that is disconcerting to a number of people. Of course charges of police court abuses are not new. More than once have political points been made by disclosing some phase of the inner workings. The climax of the McDonoughs on the bail business has several times been exposed, at one time with such serious effect as to cause one of the brothers to publish that he was no longer a partner in the saloon bearing the family name, located hard by the police courts and when much police court business emanated; and isn't it remembered how vicarious atonement was once made by the sacrifice of Police Judge Weller? But it was not long before things were back in the old groove. This grand jury seems to be armed with a different probe from that formerly wielded. There is something about the present operation that is worrying the shysters, hangers-on and all concerned to an unwonted degree. Their intuition discerns when an investigation is "meant." Present appearances are that the probe is going deep, and that it is going to turn up to view that which it encounters.

#### Turning Back the Railroads

Railroad men are beginning to wonder whether the railroads will really be returned to their owners on the first of March, as the President proclaimed they would be. All kinds of pressure by government ownership advocates and labor organizations is constantly being brought to bear to prevent the return of the roads at this time, with the ultimate purpose of preventing their return at all. California is rather more interested than any other State from a strictly railroad point of view, and is particularly interested from the fact that redwood ties have a status in railroad maintenance that is *sui generis*. It is known that if the roads go back immense repairs will at once be undertaken, as under government control the lines have not been kept up. In that case there will be an unprecedented demand for these ties, which can only be produced in California, which demand will have a very decided effect on the redwood industry. According to the report of the government railroad commissioner, the roads were short eighteen million ties on the first day of January, to say nothing of the vast requirement of timber for other railroad purposes. The lumber industry is in a way to a great prosperity from railroad requirements alone.

#### Chinese Mining Experts

It has long been known by those familiar with mining that the Chinese are averse, and generally refuse, to work underground. They are skilled placer miners, and will do any line of work in a quartz mine provided it does not involve going down in the bowels of the earth. But the second generation seems to be overcoming the prejudice of their ancestors, and many of the wealthy Chinese of the State are sending their sons to such institutions as the University of California, the Colorado School of Mines and other colleges of equal merit, whence they are graduated as mining engineers. However, they are giving little attention to mining on this coast or continent. After graduating and possibly gaining a little practical experience, they depart for China, to bring modern methods to the development of the known mineral deposits of that country, which have been inadequately worked even in the very few instances where they have been worked at all.

#### Trying to Embarrass Oregon

Further evidence that General Obregon is not regarded favorably by Carranza as a successor is that Carranza recently ordered troops into the State of Sonora to replace those stationed there, who are said to be almost to a man adherents of Obregon. The Mexican president apparently is very determined to defeat the one-armed general. He has even ordered the disbandment of the troops up to the present time stationed in Obregon's home state. Those best acquainted with Obregon in San Francisco are of the opinion that he will not accept this without protest; and it is pretty well understood that a protest of one Mexican leader against another means an uprising. The progress of affairs in the neighboring republic has more than casual interest in San Francisco—especially this presidential campaign—for Obregon has a considerable circle of friends here, gained through commercial relations and through social contact resulting from his several visits during the last three years.

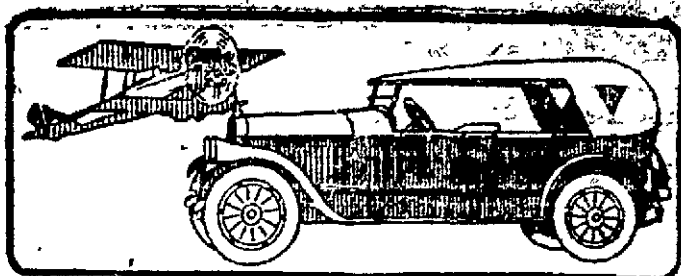
#### Dr. Forbes Recovering

The friends of Dr. Ernest Forbes, who has been in the City of Mexico for a year engaged in certain litigation, are relieved to hear that he is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia. Dr. Forbes, in addition to his professional distinction and business activities, is one of the more learned of American archeologists, having specialized as to Mexican and Central American prehistoric remains. His collection of Aztec, Toltec and Maya antiquities in the Park museum has attracted the attention of students and scientists from all over the world.





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## One More Ferry Line From East Bay Districts to Sacramento, Napa Valleys

### SIX MINUTE FERRY IS HELP TO AUTOISTS

The crossing of San Francisco bay, its inlets, minor bays and tributary rivers is one of the problems that face the enthusiastic autoist, and there is no problem that is more fraught with troubles, trials and tribulations. When the autoist begins to "dope" out a trip his first consideration is how many and what ferries he has to cross for the ferry with its long waits, particularly on Sundays and holidays, is the chief trouble that is to be considered.

"When can I get a boat back?" is always the question that is uppermost in the mind of the traveler by automobile.

The uncertainty of the answer to this question often settles the character of a trip, particularly upon days when the autoist is on the road in force, for no man, particularly with a party, likes to get stalled behind a long line of machines awaiting a chance to cross some body of water.

But the automobile ferry is a vital institution in these days of almost universal ownership of machines. Without the automobile ferries at Richmond, at Redwood and at Martinez all of the wonderful country through the Sonoma, Santa Rosa and Solano valleys would be almost entirely cut off from the rest of the state, and the automobile owners of today can easily remember when the trip to Sacramento was through the Livermore valley and by way of Stockton because of lack of facilities for crossing San Francisco bay and its tributary bays and rivers.

#### CONGESTION FREQUENT

But travel by automobile grew more rapidly than did the ferry accommodations, and travel by automobile congested itself upon Sundays and holidays, leaving the other days of the week to be utilized only by ordinary commercial business. The ferry routes that are jammed and congested on Sundays and holidays are unable to handle the crowds, have ample facilities for every day travel, which makes the problem of these special days a hard one for both the companies and the public. No company can afford to invest in equipment sufficient for Sunday and holiday business, and allow it to lie idle for five or six days out of each week. So the traveling public has been charitable toward the companies that made certain lines of travel possible.

The traveling public welcomes any new ferry facilities, and the announcement that the "Six Minute Ferry" between Vallejo and Valona will be opened to the public very shortly will be received with much satisfaction, for it will mean one more line leading from Eastbay districts to Sacramento and the Napa valley, or to the many resorts in Lake and Sonoma counties, or to the wonderful Santa Rosa section, or into the mountain districts of Mendocino and Humboldt counties. The new company is practically ready to begin operations and the exact date of its opening will be announced very shortly.

#### FERRY ORGANIZED

The "Six Minute Ferry" is the outgrowth of the ferry that has been operated between Vallejo and the Mare Island navy yard for the benefit of the employees of that yard. It is an enlargement of that institution. Most of the original incorporators of the Mare Island ferry are in the larger corporation, which was formed in February of last year. The managers of the Mare Island ferry saw themselves with a ferry boat on their hands on Sundays and holidays, when the Mare Island route was not in operation, and they became impressed with the necessity of utilizing their boat upon those days. They figured out that an automobile ferry between Vallejo and Contra Costa county would furnish employment for their boat and bring in additional revenue. A survey of each side of the coast showed that from Valona to Vallejo was only 1400 feet, or a little over half a mile, and a detailed survey showed good landing places.

So the "Six Minute Ferry" was organized, and landing places purchased. The landing on the Contra Costa county side is strictly upon a peninsula at Valona, which is a station alongside of the Sugar refinery at Crockett. On the other side the landing is at Morrow cove in Vallejo. It was found that the trip could be made in five minutes from landing to landing, but a schedule of six minutes to the trip was figured out, and from that the new company got its name.

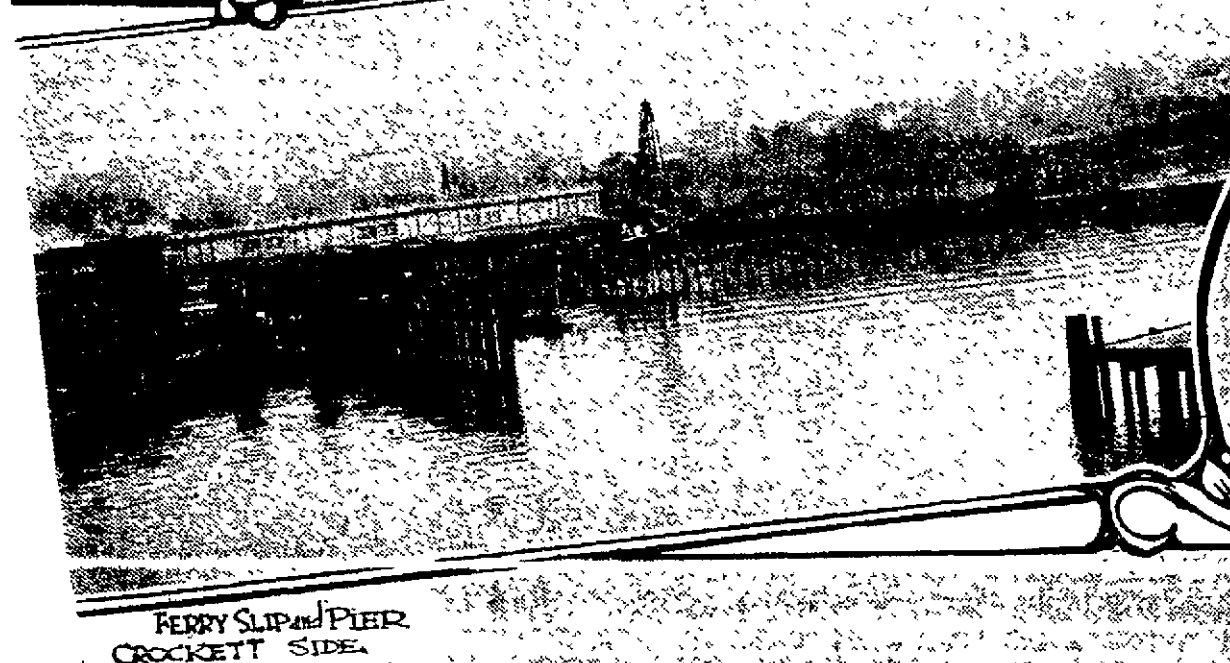
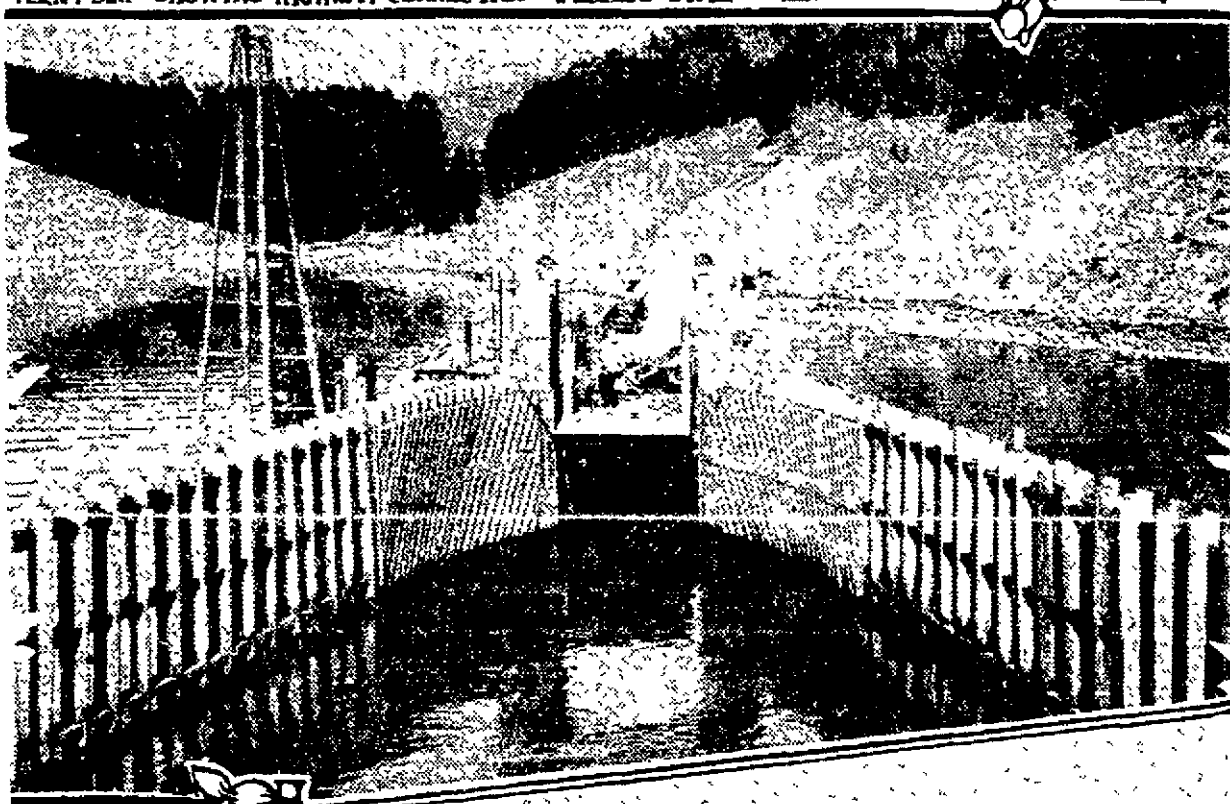
The original plan was to operate the automobile ferry on Sundays and holidays when the Mare Island ferry was not running, but as the plans were worked out the winners became convinced that a larger plan would be better; that the automobile ferry ought to be operated with one boat every day in the week and with two on special days. This necessitated the enlargement of their plans and the purchase of a second boat.

#### STOCK SELLS RAPIDLY

The company was organized with \$100,000 of capital, which was all subscribed without the use of solicitors. With the proceeds the hull of the burned ferry boat San Jose of

THE NEW SIX-MINUTE FERRY SERVICE FROM VALONA TO VALLEJO WILL BE READY SOON TO HELP RELIEVE THE CONGESTION at the other bay ferries, is eagerly awaited by the Eastbay motoring public. Operating one boat during the week and two on Sundays and holidays with a schedule of six minutes from landing to landing, this ferry will undoubtedly be of tremendous service as one of the San Francisco bay crossings. Many a belated motorist will now be able to arrive home on schedule time, the dread and inconvenience of the overcrowded bay ferries, especially on Sundays and holidays, being partially relieved.

FERRY SLIP SHOWING HIGHWAY CONNECTION—VALLEJO SIDE.



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### EXTRA BAGGAGE MADE EASY BY SIMPLE METHOD

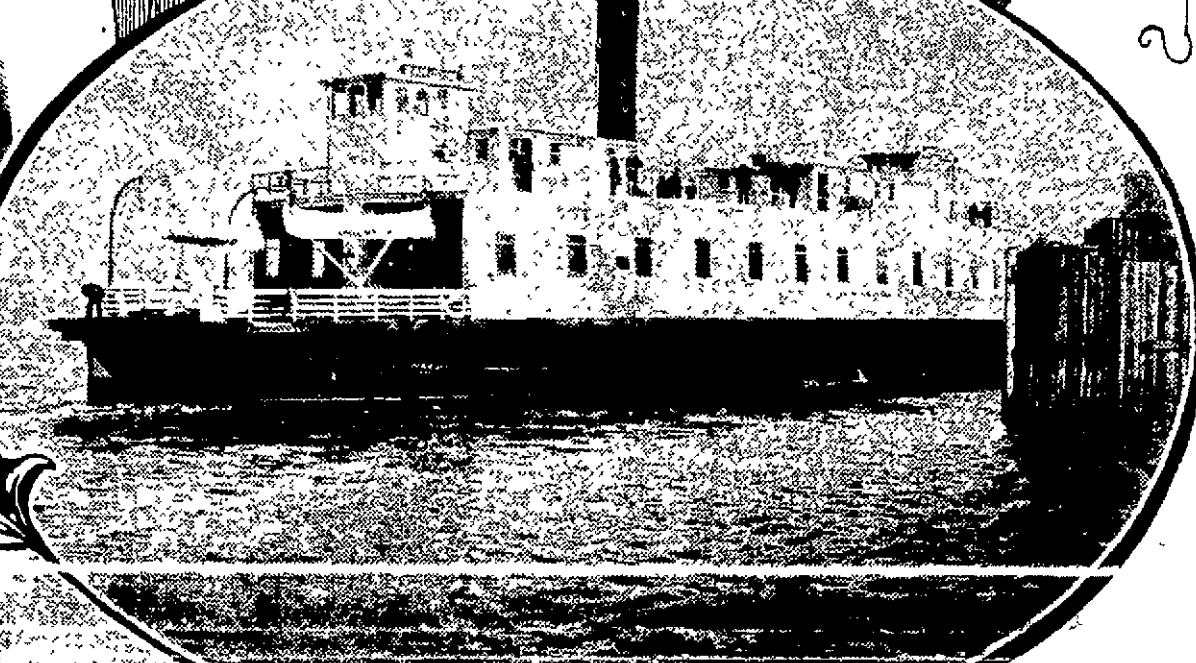
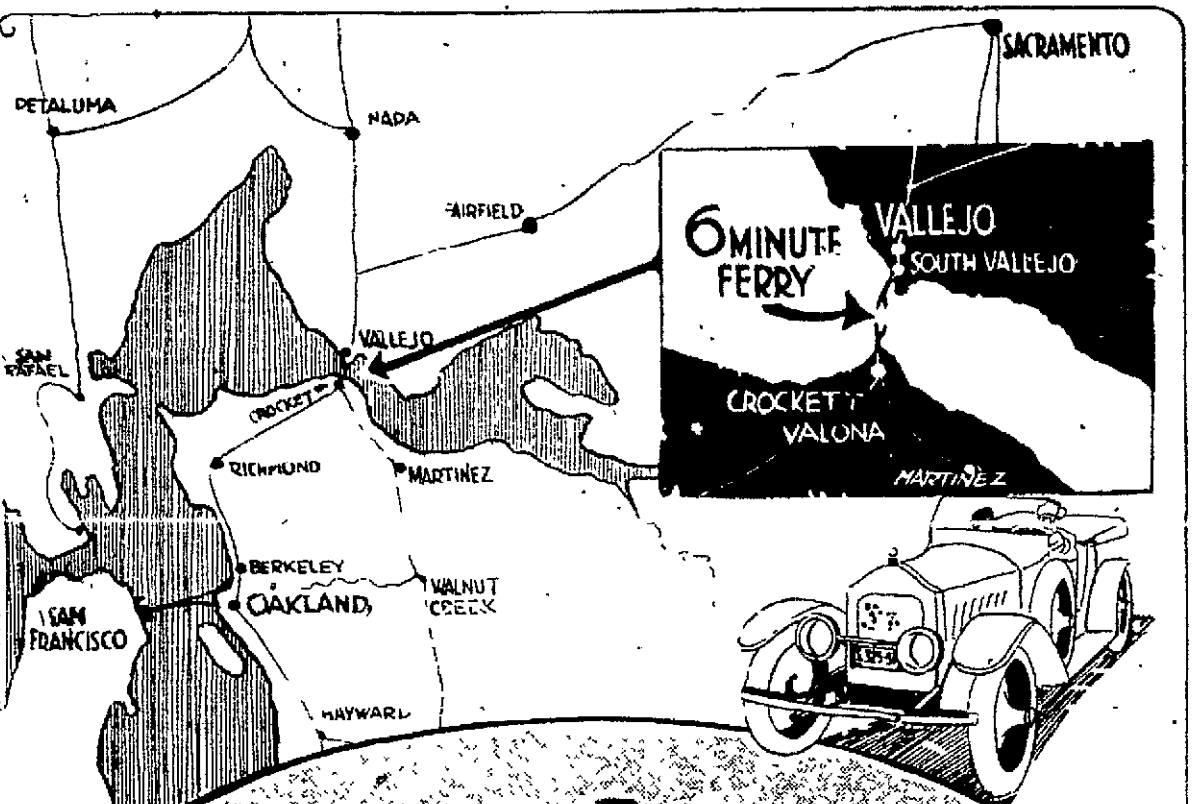
Here is a simple method of carrying extra suitcases or other baggage when equipment is not provided for this purpose.

On the front of the running board six small strap loops may be fastened by wood screws. Two loops are set in at the rear edge of the board about twenty inches apart. Another two are set crosswise on the board, a convenient distance apart. This is governed by the size of the package that is being considered. The remaining four are located at the front edge of the board on its under side. The reason for this is that it permits the parcel or baggage to overhang the board, and in this way a larger one can be carried than would be possible otherwise. Cord or straps can be arranged to tie or strap over the bundle, the ends being threaded under the loops in a convenient manner.

The Key System was purchased and entirely rebuilt for the purpose of carrying automobiles. The San Jose will carry from 8 to 70 automobiles upon each trip and have plenty of room for foot passengers on the upper deck.

The San Jose will operate every day, making two round trips per hour, and on Sundays and holidays two vessels will be put upon the run, operating continuously, making the trip each way in six minutes. Suitable approaches are being built upon each side. On the Valona side the approach will be by an overhead causeway, which has been constructed to carry any load and be perfectly safe. A small stretch of about three blocks will connect the causeway with the highway and this will be paved. On the Vallejo side the company is building 7000 feet of paved roadway to their Vallejo landing.

The directors and officers of the "Six Minute Ferry" are practically the same as in the Association of Mare Island Employees, and are as follows: President, Forbes H. Brown, Mare Island navy yard; vice president, J. P. Connors, merchant; Valona; secretary, C. V. Stewart, treasurer, G. M. Spence, auditor, G. McLaughlin; manager, O. G. Gordon; Walter Britton, F. H. Bartlett, H. L. Cassidy, C. A. Fitzgerald, James Fredericksen, H. W. Smith, all of the Mare Island navy yard; A. B. Coronado, auto dealer, Vallejo; D. Brosnahan, banker, Vallejo; Dr. John H. Adams, physician, Crockett.



FERRY BOAT SAN JOSE.



CROCKETT FERRY TERMINAL.

### L. A. COURSE DRAWS HOST SPEED KINGS

Again the importance of California speedway in the motor sport world has been emphasized by the announcement of the first seventeen entries for the big \$25,000 race which will open the new Los Angeles speedway February 21. The entry list so far reads like a roll call of the country's best and there are still more to come.

Driver, Car.  
R. C. Durant, Chevrolet Special  
Eddie Hearne, Chevrolet Special  
Eddie Pullen, Chevrolet Special  
Ira Vall, Philbin Special  
Rocco Sares, Pontiac  
Joseph Boyer, Pontiac  
Ken Goodson, Pontiac  
Joe Thomas, Pontiac  
Tommy Milton, Duesenberg  
Jimmy Murphy, Duesenberg  
Arthur Klein, Peugeot  
Reese Dutton, Buick Special  
Ralph Mulford, Oldfield Special  
Toland Nicholson, Hudson Special

Manager A. M. Young, in announcing the list, admitted that he had exchanged telegrams with Ralph De Palma, and that there were good chances of the famous

driver being there with a new French car when the speedway opened. Howard Wilcox, winner of the last Indianapolis race, is another who is eager to try the new course. Wilcox retired after his big victory at Indianapolis, but the new speedway has proved such a lure that he is wavering. Wilcox last appeared on the Pacific Coast in 1918, when he drove the winning Peugeot for the international grand prize, at Santa Monica.

Eddie O'Donnell of Duesenberg fame is out angling for a fast car with good prospects of landing it. John De Palma, brother of Ralph and a champion for hire in many races, including the Vanderbilt and Grand Prix at San Francisco over the exposition course, also is looking for a car with sufficient speed to travel in this company. A Peerless Special, driven by I. V. Saupp, also is in the offing as a probable entry. The announcement that there would be a surprise here among the fans only a choice few knew that Eddie Pullen had departed from San Francisco and was busy at work in Los Angeles on a new Chevrolet. Special at the Miller plant. Pullen believes that he will have a car that will exceed any in speed that he ever drove, even including the Mercers.

Centermen have been rushing the track to completion so that the drivers might get as much practice as possible. Shortage in materials held back some, but now all of this handicap has been covered and Manager Young says that everything is going along on schedule once more.

### Association Enforcing Chauffeur Age Law

The legal department of the California State Automobile Association yesterday sent out a warning to em-

### Lock Controls in Auto Roads Urged on Theft Reports

Automobiles to the number of 3272 were reported stolen in California in 1919, according to figures received by D. E. Watkins, secretary-manager of the California State Automobile Association, from Superintendent C. S. Morrill of the California State Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation.

Police Departments reported the theft of 1770 cars and the Pacific Coast Automobile Underwriters' Conference 1502 machines. The report of the State Bureau is expected to add impetus to the campaign being made by the California Traffic Officers' Association to have lock controls established on all roads leading into and out of the city.

players not to permit boys under the age of 15 to operate motor or delivery wagons. Traffic officers throughout the state have announced that they will rigidly enforce the section of the new state law providing that no licenses or badges shall be issued to any applicant under the age of 18 years.

### Arrest Caused by Car of 1905 Relic Shocks Traffic Guardian

What the—, and the traffic officer on Van Ness avenue rubbed his eyes, blinked and looked again. Coming down the street was a white automobile, a relic of the past, and Master Jan in khaki acted. He was afraid that the whole street would turn around to look and then there would be trouble.

Half you are under arrest—was the summons to George Houdley, of the Howard Automobile company, who was in the seat of the old car, and George halted.

The car was a Buick of the vintage of 1905, the first car sold by C. S. Howard, in San Francisco. This old car, which is still in running condition and able to hold its own in power, if not in speed, has been driven 231,734 miles, a remarkable record for any kind of machine.

The old bus has two cylinders, and cranks on the side. When Houdley was arrested, he stopped the motor and had a lot of fun whirling the crank before it started the motor again.

The car was shown graphically, when the old and new cars are seen side by side. Here was a car, built only fifteen years ago, and its advent on the streets caused its driver's arrest. Only a few years before this car was built, men who were brave enough to drive motor cars were arrested, because they frightened horses with their horseless carriages.

Then think of the cars of today, with electric starting and lighting devices, with smooth operating powerful motors, and with a thousand and one things that our fathers dreamed of but never hoped to see materialized.

This old Buick is still going. The parts must have been made with wonderful care and precision to have run as far as this ancient car has carried them.

### Yuba County Highway Improvement Planned

The supervisors of Yuba county have submitted, for the approval of the California Highway Commission, plans and specifications for roads to be built by that county out of the county's general funds. The supervisors have passed an ordinance requiring the approval of the California Highway Commission before any of the \$50,000 set aside for that purpose can be expended. The commission has authorized the highway engineer to send an engineer to go over the ground and inspect Yuba county soil conditions. As soon as this report is available, the commission will act upon the request of the Yuba county supervisors.

### AUTO SHOW TO MIRROR WONDERLAND

Reminiscent of a particularly colorful corner of the exposition, the fourth annual Pacific automobile show, to be held at the Civic Auditorium during the week of February 21, will furnish motor enthusiasts of the Pacific Coast the first indoor impression of a perfect blending of the automobile industry and the western wonderlands.

This innovation in the usual conventional background for motor car exhibitions is to express the ideas of George A. Wahlgren, the show manager. For years—ever since he first became a leading figure in the automobile industry of the West—Wahlgren dreamed of producing an auto show typical of the relations of the motor car and the great outdoors.

By the expenditure of \$10,000 he is to realize his ambitions at this year's exposition. More elaborate and costly than anything attempted before at events of this kind either here or elsewhere, the decoration—schemed out by Wahlgren, based on a concrete idea—the idea of selling the sunshine and natural beauties of the western states with automobiles marketed here. His plan bids fair to become the sales stage of auto dealers and distributors of the coast.

With the assistance of Clarence Ward and J. Harry Blohm, San Francisco architects, Wahlgren has worked out his vision of the scenic background. The actual construction of the masterpiece is progressing under the direction of H. Lederer and L. L. Lenthall, two artists who won world fame at the exposition. Installation of the decorations will begin soon.

The composite view of a bit of the West's valleys and mountains to be obtained through the erection of a circular peristyle of fluted white columns and antabae, 150 feet in circumference and 100 feet in height. It will be built under the dome of the Auditorium. Over the peristyle an awning is to be superimposed, supported by bronze trusses, and through this will come the effect of California's sunshine.

A cloudless blue sky will appear through the open space above, not covered by the awning, while a distant view of the out-of-doors will be seen through the reaches of the colonnade. The entire picture is intended to mirror the harmonic relation of the automobile and the country which has perhaps more to offer the motorist than any other.

Prominent dealers and distributors of San Francisco are bubbling over with enthusiasm in anticipation of the marvelous panorama to be unfolded before the startled eyes of the auto show crowds this year. Reviewing the prospects of a bazaar show and a hand-to-hand sale of Skinner, vice-president of the Motor Car Dealers' Association of San Francisco under whose auspices the exposition is to be held, said today: "The interest displayed by the general public and the big men of the automobile trade in this coming event is greater by far than ever before. They have naturally come to this annual exhibition in San Francisco as the opening of the spring business for the entire Pacific Coast."

### Auburn-Nevada City Lateral Due in Spring

The California Highway Commission has advised the Nevada County Development association that the commission expects to advertise for bids to construct the Auburn-Nevada City lateral so that the conditions may be let as soon as weather conditions permit in the coming early spring.

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# OPENING OF NEW HOME IS ANNOUNCED

Today marks the formal opening of the magnificent new home of the American Balanced Six in Oakland.

And Charles Griffiths, Pacific Coast distributor, was yesterday wearing his broadest smile as he put the finishing touches to the decorations of the elaborate new showroom which will make a fitting setting for the display of the new car.

Already accorded a welcome reception here and at the coast cities where it is now represented, the American Balanced Six—the "Smile Car"—bids fair to make a sensational sale record on the coast.

The \$25,000 building which will be thrown open to the public today will be the coast distributing headquarters for the concern, and in appearance, in size and beauty, it sets a new high standard for automobile showrooms and compares favorably with the most exclusive and widely-heralded showrooms of Los Angeles, San Francisco and Chicago.

The display room in the front of the building is most artistically decorated with the latest lighted showrooms in the West. In the rear a spacious service department will take care of the needs of American owners.

The offices and auditing departments are arranged on the mezzanine floor. Salesmen's headquarters and executive offices are also planned for the mezzanine.

A complete stock of parts will be carried and the service department will have the particular advantage of being able to supply any part within 100-foot frontage and is so built that the walls can easily be torn away and the building enlarged in the event that future business should warrant it.

Griffiths has a long record in the automotive world. He has been associated with many makes of automobiles, but selected the most competent and widely experienced long list, convinced that it was the car of the year. He has pioneered the car on this coast and today finds agencies at Vallejo, San Francisco, San Jose, Berkeley and Los Angeles—all doing a thriving business.

Griffiths is proud of the fact that he has around him at the new building one of the most competent and widely experienced sales forces on the coast. Moreover, they have faith in the car they sell and are enthusiastic over its future. With such a force there is little doubt that Griffiths will have to enlarge his building sooner than he anticipates.

The sales force is headed by Fred A. Dohson, as general sales manager. With him are Fred Hollister, Harry Roderick and "Dode" Grimm. An interesting fact is that these three latter mentioned men have seen service with Uncle Sam's army during the recent period of hostilities.

Roderick is perhaps one of the best informed men when it comes to motors that can be found on the coast. During the eight months he was in the service he was with the aviation corps as an aviator engaged in overseeing the repairing of airplane motors. His knowledge of all types of motors and their operation is well known.

Grimm and Hollister were in the motor transport corps and have been connected with the automotive industry for several years in various capacities.

Griffiths has devoted a great deal of care and attention to making the mechanical and service department one of the most up-to-date shops to be found anywhere. This will be under the supervision of Henry Ackley, who has been connected in the past with some of the largest automobile factories in the East. His watchword is "honest service." No car, he says, will be permitted to leave his department unless it is in perfect condition.

Take it all in all—the new home of the Smile Car is truly a credit to Oakland or any other city. The decorative scheme of the building is so beautiful, the showroom so spacious and well-lighted and the service department so well equipped to take care of any emergency, that it is safe to say that it is the prettiest structure of its kind on the coast.

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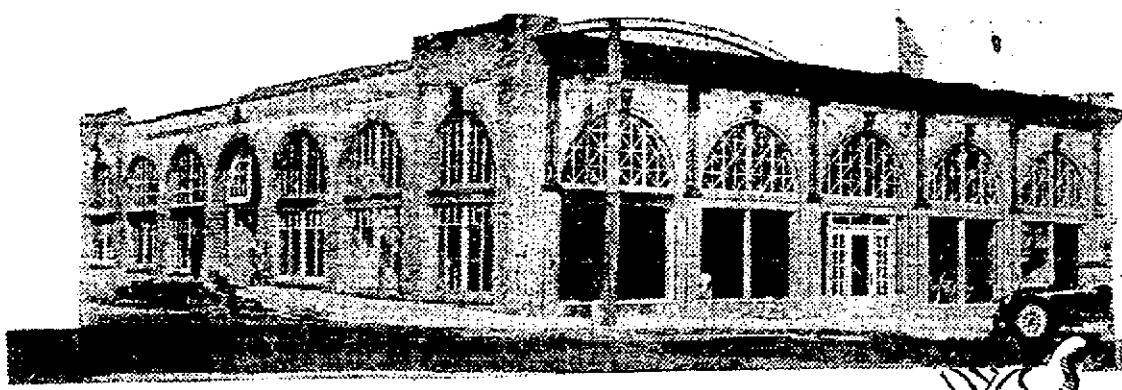
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## Company Head Young Man Yet Is Pioneer in the Motor Industry

Back in the old days in the west when mining booms called towns into being almost over night, any who lingered for a brief time became known as an "old timer." Something of the same sort is true of the motor car industry. Men who today are only a few years removed from youth are pointed out as "old timers" in the automobile business.

Take Percy Owen, president of the Liberty Motor Car company, for example. See Mr. Owen and you will serve a young man—a very young man to be president of a motor car company that has made remarkable strides in public esteem in the past three years.

And yet Mr. Owen is an old timer among old timers.

He was an automobile mechanic when a man had to be a real mechanic to get ten miles through the country with one of the "horseless carriages."

As far back as 1901 he was a world champion race driver, driving for the love of the game while he held down the job of branch manager at New York for the Winton company. Incidentally it was Owen who started automobile racing on Broadway, inducing Mr. Winton to establish the first salesroom at Broadway and Fifty-fifth street, where the Ford building now stands.

And that salesroom was between two buildings, one of which housed a saddlery and the other was occupied by a dealer in blooded horses. Times have certainly changed.

Mr. Owen made racing a big part

of his salesmanship and in 1903 he went across the Atlantic as one of the American teams to contest for the James Gordon Bennett cup that was then held by England.

The other two American drivers were Alexander Winton and L. E. Moors. The last named having a Peerless for a mount.

The race was held in Ireland that year but the American machines were not capable of defeating the best of Europe.

After a successful career as branch manager and dealer and distributor in the metropolitan district, Mr. Owen became a factory sales agent and finally formed the Liberty Motor Car company so that he could find expression for his own ideals in a motor car.

That his long experience has given him a remarkable insight into just what kind of an automobile the American public desires, is proved by the present standing of the Liberty. The Liberty Six made its first appearance on July 4, 1916 and, despite the handicaps the war threw around the industry, its progress in the public favor has been one of the most remarkable of this marvelous industry. Despite its youth, the Liberty has just moved into a new factory at Detroit that is accounted a model even in the city of wonderful industrial establishments.

And listen, here is a secret about Percy Owen that everyone doesn't know. Before entering the automobile business he was an insurance agent, and a darned good one.

## ROAD TO SOUTH REPORTED GOOD

With the exception of a few miles in the south, road conditions between this city and Los Angeles are ideal for touring, according to Chester N. Weaver, of Weaver-Weiss Company, local Studebaker automobile and Day-Elder truck dealers. In an informal report requested by this newspaper on a trip to Los Angeles made last week.

"The roads are in perfect condition," writes Weaver, "until a short way south of Santa Maria at Orcutt. The highway is not completed for a distance of two or three miles, and the temporary road runs along what later will be paved. In dry weather it would be good, but when I went through it was muddy. If it should continue to rain for several days it would be very difficult to traverse and in fact might be almost impassable."

"It is also very muddy through Gaviota Pass and anyone making the trip should use chains as the road is hard and slippery. There are two points between Gaviota and Santa Barbara where there are detours, and in wet weather chains are needed. "The main highway from Ventura to Los Angeles is blocked for repairs and it is necessary to go around through Santa Susana Pass. This is not paved and is very slippery in wet weather."

"The south is getting a good share of rain. It rained all the way down from San Luis Obispo to Santa Barbara. Reports are that the rainfall throughout the entire southern end of the state has been better than has probably reached just a little better than the normal rainfall, indicating a prosperous season for the farmers."

## Simple Tool is Aid in Removing Washer

To remove the split steel washer that snaps into a groove in the hub of a front wheel and holds the thick felt washer in place over the inside bearing, the most effective method is to make the simple tool. Obtain a pair of round jawed pliers about five or six inches long. File a notch on the inside of each jaw near the end and then reduce the diameter of the jaws until the tool just slips into the holes in the ends of the split washer. Having done this, it is a simple matter to remove the washer. Hook the ends of the pliers into the holes, close the pliers to contract the washer to draw it out of the groove, and then by running a screwdriver around under the edge of it, it is easily slipped out. I have used one of those tools for several years and find it most effective.



## Fire Company is Cotton Pioneer In Golden State

Cotton growing in Arizona is no longer in the experimental stage, thousands of acres being under cultivation, producing great amounts for tire fabric. Irrigation has turned sandy wastes into fertile plantations that produce cotton of equal quality to that of the Sea Island or other varieties. The Good-year Tire and Rubber Company was one of the pioneers in cotton growing in Arizona and so successful has been the efforts that the company has established connections in the Imperial Valley of Southern California. Construction work will soon be begun on gins in Calexico, Calapatria and probably El Centro.

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## HEAD OF DEALERS' ASSN. IS NAMED

The selection of P. H. Greer, one of the country's best known automobile distributors, to be vice-president of the National Automobile Dealers' Association, at the annual meeting of the board of directors in Chicago, is a fitting recognition of the services he has given the widely known organization.

This organization has greatly broadened the scope of its endeavors, until it is no longer in the automobile industry as an important factor in shaping national legislation in the mutual interest of the motorist and the dealer. As one of the seven directors, Greer has given much of his time and a great deal of his remarkable energy in shaping the destiny of the association.

It was through the instrumentality of the National Automobile Dealers' Association that Congress recently enacted a law making it a felony punishable with a heavy penalty for the stealing of an automobile and driving it or shipping it from one state to another.

## OAKLANDER WINS IN TRUCK DEAL

It took an Oakland man to put one over on Portland and dealers. Two hundred trucks lay in the yard of the U. S. Spruce Production Corporation at Vancouver Barracks, twelve miles from Portland, for one year.

An Oakland business man, F. L. Carson, happened to be sent up to the S. P. D. to help them adjust their claims, that having been his special job when working for Uncle Sam. When he saw the trucks he asked a few questions. The result was that after some telegrams were sent to San Francisco and others received from there, Harry Lesser arrived in Portland a few days later and one of the largest truck deals ever consummated on the Western coast was put through.

And then the Portland automobile men woke up and began to clamor for motor trucks! They got a few but Howell and Lesser preferred to ship them south where they knew the market was even better.

**DIG DOWN FOR GAS**  
Some men will look you straight in the eye while you dig down in your pocket to pay for the gas you are using to give them the joy ride to which they have invited themselves—American Motorist.

## AUTO CARE HINTS GIVEN BY EXPERT

The best way to make the car last longer and give you better service, is to take care of it. A few things done now and then will make it easier to keep the whole machine in good order.

"I find that the best way to keep the car running all the time is to look after it now and then and oil things up," says Phil Cole, distributor of Haynes cars here.

Here are a few suggestions on the care of the car:

Most car owners drain the oil out of the crank cases about three times a year, and as a general rule this used oil is simply thrown away. By adding 50 per cent of kerosene to this waste oil an excellent spring lubricant is obtained. The method of using the mixture is to spray it over the springs once a week. The oil furnishes the lubricating means, while the kerosene keeps the springs free from rust.

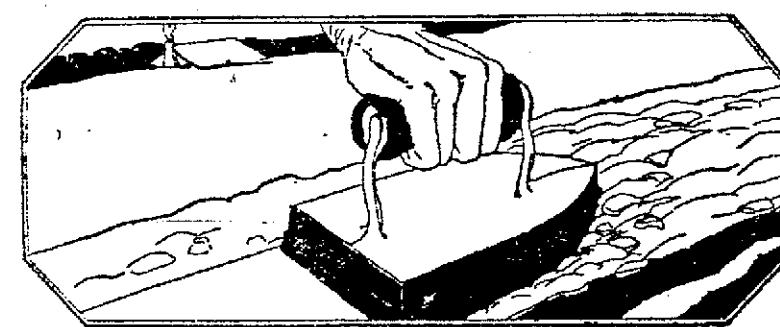
Car owners should not forget that one part of the battery system which needs attention is the distributor head. When soot forms on this it often enables the current to pass across from one terminal to another, with pre-ignition as a result. The track of the distributor head should be kept clean and be touched up from time to time with a kerosene soaked rag. This will prevent its becoming dirty and will keep the motor button from sticking and cutting.

It is possible to make a socket wrench by placing a bolt head of the proper size in one end of a pipe and then forging the pipe to fit it. After the wrench has been made it can be annealed, if desired, to give it lasting qualities. A hole is, of course, bored in the opposite end to take a cross-piece and complete the tool.

When foreign matter of some kind finds its way into the fuel pipe between the two sections of the vacuum system the result is that the vacuum tank is empty in spite of the fact that there is plenty of fuel in the main tank. When this happens, fill the float chamber of the carburetor with gasoline, which can be drawn from the main tank, and then start the engine. The resulting suction will draw out the obstruction and permit the system to function again. This same trouble is sometimes caused by obstruction of the small oil hole in the filled cap of the main fuel tank, which must be kept open to induce atmospheric pressure on the gasoline.



## New Triplex Springs Iron Out the Wrinkles of the Rough Roads



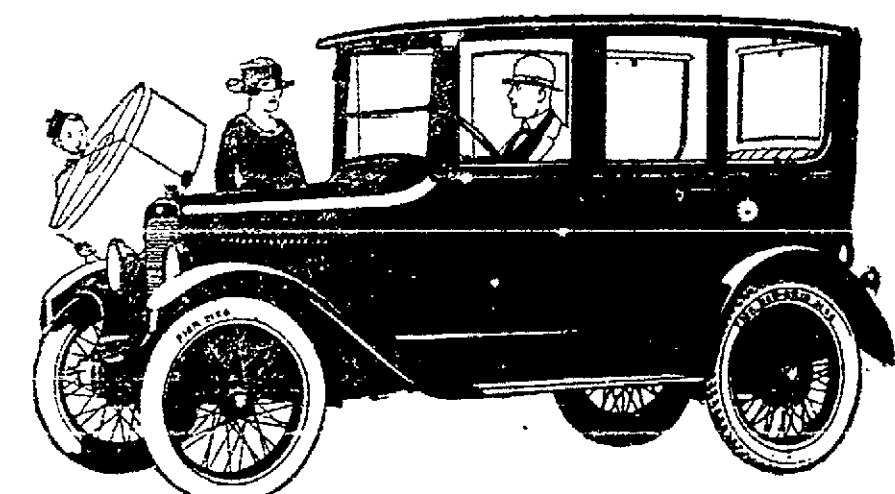
THE wrinkles of rough roads seem smoothed out completely by the wonderful springs of Overland 4 Sedan.

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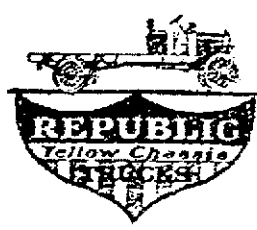
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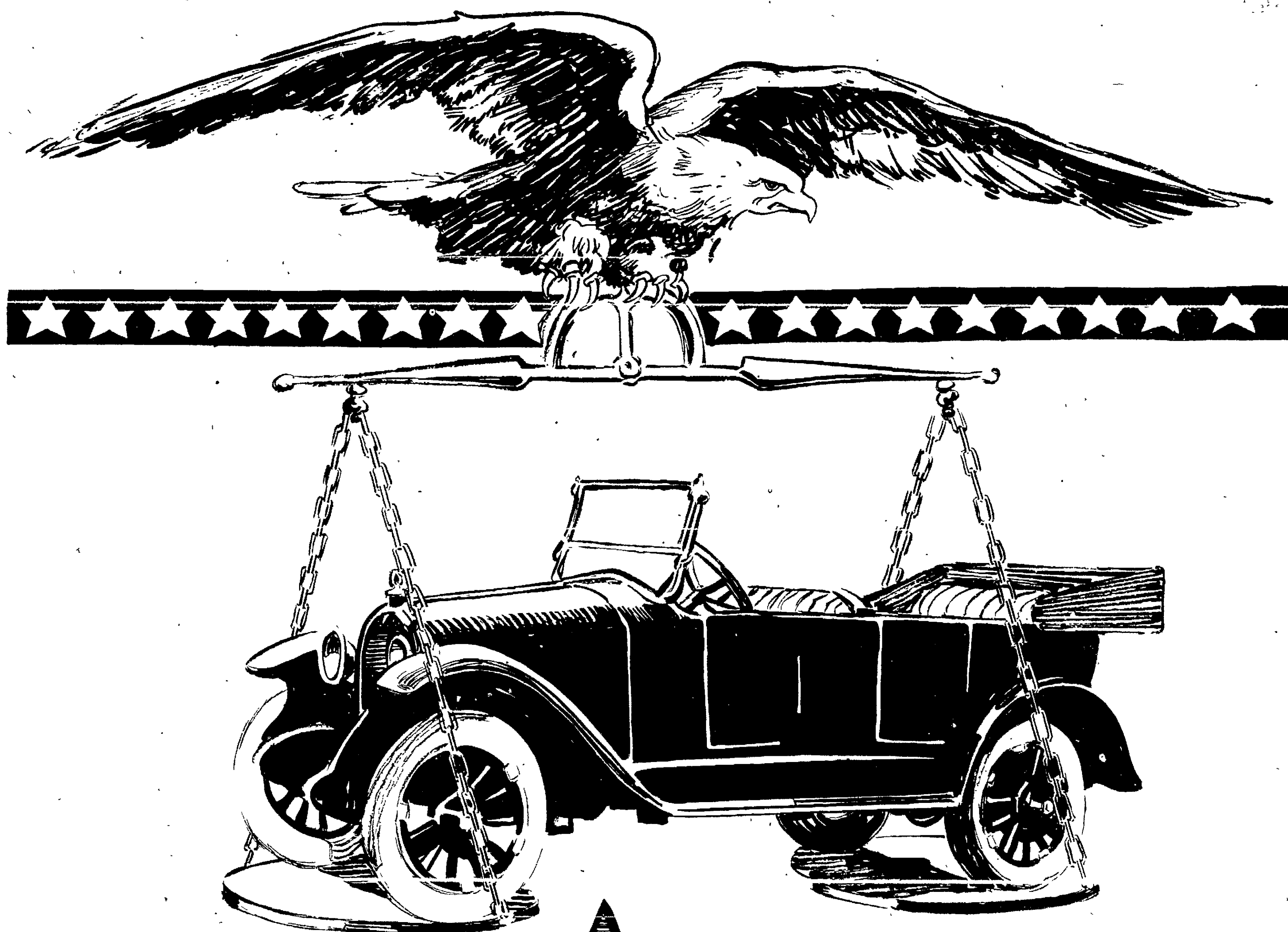
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# AVIATORS TO FLY TODAY IN CIRCUS

When Lieutenant E. E. "Alone" Mouton, with his assistants, Lieutenants J. T. Cumberpatch and F. E. Harding changes in mid-air from one fast moving plane to another, hangs by one hand from the tip of the wing, moves upright on the top wing and stands on his head during a flight today, the public will witness a "sky calisthenic" inspired by the feats of Lieutenant Ormer Locklear.

The few who have seen Mouton's maneuvers say that in all respects his work is more spectacular than Locklear's. No other gymnast has ever succeeded in jumping from a racing car to an airplane above him, as was done by Mouton this week. He has promised to perform his entire "bag of tricks" during Industrial Day at Durant Field today, when R. C. "Cliff" Durant has invited the Eastbay public to witness a special circus, offering them the first sight of novel "breath takers."

The aviation committee of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce and the delegates from the Allied Pilots' Club have evinced great interest in the spectacle and have signified their intention of being present in a body.

The circus program is scheduled to begin at 2:30 p. m. Lieutenants Cumberpatch and Harding, both former government circus flying instructors, will stage a series of "eye-openers" preliminary to the Mouton specialties. Parking space for thousands of automobiles has been arranged for surrounding the field at the foot of Eighty-second avenue, East Oakland.

On several long flights Cumberpatch and Mouton have made together to different California cities, both separately would get out of the cockpit and climb along the wings of the ship for exercise. Finally Mouton became more daring, until he stood upright on the upper wing and dropped down and hung from the wing-skid by one hand. N. A. satisfied that he had really performed the trick, according to Cumberpatch, yesterday, Mouton descended three times in succession and repeated the one hand "climbing" operation before he was satisfied with himself.

Mouton expressed a desire to emulate Locklear's plane-plane changes. With that, utilizing the ship's famous pilot has left in charge of Durant while in Cuba. Mouton made the transfer without accident repeatedly.

When "Jerry" Collier, manager of the Oakland Chevrolet branch, drove the 1919-mile Chevrolet Special on the field recently that Durant will handle during the opening February 22, of the Los Angeles speedway, he was not satisfied until he executed a jump from it to an airplane above him. This is Mouton's favorite stunt, and the most dangerous feat, according to aeronautical engineers, ever attempted by any gymnast. Despite this, Mouton insists upon another attempt before the large throngs of invited guests expected today.

Pilots attached to the field will carry passengers aloft today for a real bird's eye view of the aerial circus in progress. At the same time visitors will have an opportunity for close-ups of several notable planes on view at the continuous aircraft show being maintained at Durant Field.

## AUTO INDUSTRY ADVANCE FAST

Word received from prominent coast automobile men who attended the Chicago show emphasizes the fact that the automobile industry is facing one of the most prosperous years in the history of the trade.

Large crowds, dealers and distributors from all parts of the country seeking lines and demanding more cars from factories already unable to keep up with the demand, were some of the indications of this general prosperous feeling.

Among the cars that aroused special interest was the new Velle. The distinctive lines of the new car, its excellence of finish and appointment, made it a popular favorite, and orders taken by the factory sales manager during the show will keep the factory working at top speed to even partly supply the big dealer demand.

This is the information contained in a letter received by A. W. Rawling, local Velle dealer, from the Velle factory. Rawling declares that it is increasingly difficult to secure enough cars to meet the demand and advises prospective purchasers to place their orders early in order to avoid long delays in delivery.

Expect to Double Car Allotments

Alden McElrath, Alameda and Contra Costa county distributor for Peerless cars and Republic trucks, says he feels that at the good sales of the Republic truck continues like it has since the closing of the show he will have to double his allotment for this year. Of course some credit must be given to his active sales force, who are right out after prospects picked up at the show. Some of the sales just closed were made to the following firms: H. C. Brougher, Pioneer Soda Water Company, United Junk Company, Smith-Sayers Hardware Company and Miles W. Welsh, piano mover, all of this city.

Approximately 800,000 motor trucks are operating in the area from the Atlantic ocean to the Pacific, and from Canada to Mexico.

Commission Accepts Los Angeles Highway

The California highway commission has accepted as satisfactorily completed the contract of Bryant & Austin, Inc., for the construction of 6.2 miles of highway in Los Angeles county between Lankershim boulevard and South Sherman way.

TWO OF CHARLEY TATE'S CREW OF EFFICIENT SALESMEN RECENTLY SLIPPED AWAY FROM THE TATE MOTOR Sales Company showrooms and in company with Clark Nowak of the Oakland Battery Company made a trip to Williams, from which place Willis Rogers guided them to where the ducks must have been plentiful. From left to right, C. W. LEITER, D. SWANSON, WILLIS ROGERS and CLARK NOWAK.



## AUTO INDUSTRY ADVANCE FAST



THE YOUNGER GENERATION THESE DAYS TAKE AS MUCH INTEREST IN AUTOMOBILES as the grown ups. Roger Marien, sales manager of the A. W. Rawling Company is pointing out the mechanical features of the new Marmon "34" to a class from the Piedmont Avenue school.

## COAST DISTRICT MANAGER NAMED

The Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. announces the appointment of L. R. Jackson as manager of the Pacific Coast district with headquarters at San Francisco.

This news will be received with interest in tire circles of San Francisco and other large distributing points in this territory. The new district manager has been with Firestone for approximately eight years, starting as office manager for the Atlanta branch in 1912. He transferred to the Detroit branch one year later and worked out of that city as a salesman. After three years of valuable experience along this line Mr. Jackson was transferred to the Grand Rapids branch, where he held

the position of service manager until 1918, when he was transferred to the Indianapolis branch and installed as manager.

He made an enviable record in the Hoosier capital and was intimately associated with the automobile, truck and tire business throughout that territory. His new appointment is a tribute to his initiative and good business judgment.

Mr. Jackson's association with and knowledge of the tire industry makes him peculiarly qualified for the responsibilities connected with his new position. He enjoys the distinction of being one of the most popular men in the sales organization of the Firestone company, being not only widely known in the Firestone organization but having a large acquaintance in the tire industry as well. The new district manager is very enthusiastic over his new position and comes to San Francisco prepared to utilize to the full the splendid business opportunities offered here in the interests of the Firestone company.

The recent sales program of this company provides for the marketing of \$150,000,000 worth of tires, of which the Pacific Coast territory will of course handle its full quota.

## Cars to Come May Not Weigh So Much

In the February number of Motor is a valuable contribution to automotive literature on the possibility of the future car being considerably lighter than any of the present ones. The author, M. C. Noe, M. S. A. E., predicts a gradual lowering of weight so that the average car will weigh around 200-250 pounds per passenger carried instead of from 400 to 1000 pounds as at present. He shows how other vehicles of transportation carry much more load per unit of vehicle weight and why it must come in automobiles. When it does come, he states the mileage per gallon of gasoline will be twice what it is now, tires will last longer and there will be more owners of cars. He goes on to say that a light car is not necessarily a cheap or diminutive car, and that the future light weight car must be dignified and commodious.

# SALES FORCE ON VISIT TO BODY PLANT

In order that the sales forces of the various Don Lee organizations would fully understand and appreciate the high grade work being done by the Don Lee Coach and Body Works the salesmen and sales managers from all the branches went to Los Angeles and spent a day going through the plant and studying the construction of custom-built bodies.

The Don Lee body building plant is the largest in the west and it is claimed that the bodies being turned out there are the finest in the country. No body is built to meet a price. The bodies are designed and constructed with the one idea of style, luxury and lasting qualities. An enclosed job that squeaks and rattles is not considered high class by the makers of Don Lee bodies, and to provide the necessary rigidity new features of body construction have been introduced that are used nowhere in the country.

The salesmen were shown the bodies from the start to the finished article. The building of the seats and upholstery was explained and illustrated by actual work under way.

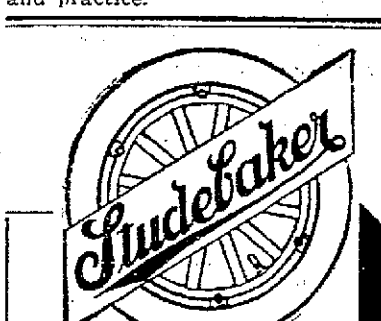
The visitors were all surprised at the extent and the quality of the work being done. The painting department is using ideas unknown to a majority of paint shops.

"It is our aim to build the finest bodies in the world," said Don Lee. "We see no reason why a California firm cannot produce bodies for the entire country and we hope to gradually enlarge our plant by an addition in San Francisco and another plant in Los Angeles until we can meet the demand which our product is certain to produce in the east."

## Get Acquainted With Your Battery, Advice

"Talk to the average motorist about carburetor adjustments, cylinder synchronization, gear shaft alignments, or any simple little matter like that," remarked R. C. Smith, manager of the Smith United Service Station, "and he's right with you on every count. Ask him to explain to you the action of a storage battery and he'll usually go down to the end of the class without a struggle."

And yet there is no real reason for this. Any chap who can figure out the elemental mechanics of an automobile possesses plenty of intelligence with which to do it. Experience proves that the more a motorist knows about the internal arrangements of his car, the better care he is going to take of them—and my personal opinion is that many a good starting and lighting battery is ruined just because its owner doesn't know the few simple principles of its action. I'm not much of a lecturer, but it is my object, just as it is that of every other "Exide" Service man the country round, to help my customers to get the absolute best out of their batteries and give them an enlightening little discourse on the whys and ways of storage battery theory and practice.



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# Radiator Hose Trouble Source Rubber Tube Often Unsuspected

When engines which normally keep cool even in hot weather or heavy climbing begin to heat up, suspect the condition of the rubber hose which connects the radiator with the water jacket. There are two such pieces of hose, but it is the top one which usually "goes bad," because it carries the hot water from the top of the engine into the radiator. The bottom hose carries the cooled water either to the pump, if there is a pump, or directly back to the water jacket if the engine uses the thermo-siphon cooling system.

Cars which use pumps for water circulation have smaller pipes and consequently smaller rubber hose connections than those which use thermo-siphon cooling systems. Hot water gradually disintegrates the rubber and cotton of the hose, and when the inner lining of the hose breaks down into a mush it frequently stops up the hose connections to an extent sufficient to prevent proper water circulation. Replacing such a hose connection can be done in a few minutes by any one who can use a wrench or screwdriver, and is an operation which does not need the skilled and expensive services of a repair man.

Sometimes engines which cool properly in winter heat up when the first warm days come. If engines of the pump circulation type, this is often caused by a hitherto unsuspected freezing of the pump, which has resulted in broken pump wheel blades. Dismounting the pump and taking it to pieces is the only way to make sure of this trouble. The remedy is a new impeller in the pump.

BUYERS SACRAMENTO LOTS  
The California highway commission has enlarged its Sacramento maintenance yards by the purchase of four lots in the Wright & Kial-brough tract No. 3.

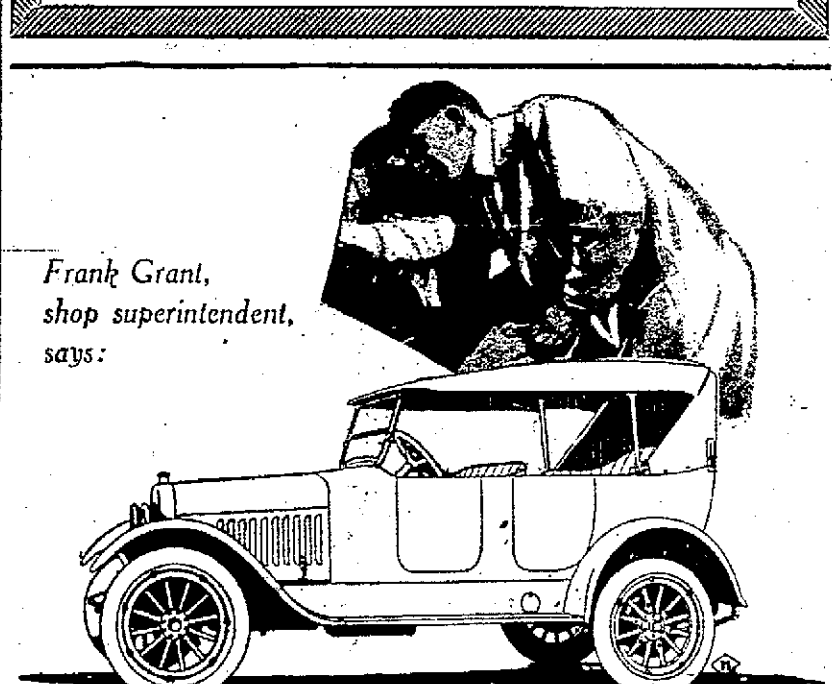
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## EMPLOYEES GET SHARE IN SAVINGS

A visitor in town this week was Harry R. Lamster, advertising manager of the William L. Hughson Company, coastwise distributors of Federal trucks and Lee line of trailers and motor truck equipment, as well as Fordson tractors and Ford cars, who is making the trip to this city for a number of years as a personal representative of William L. Hughson, who is now in the East.

Lamster was most enthusiastic regarding the business activities noted all over the city, particularly along Automobile Row, which usually is the barometer of the city, indicating periods of depression or of booming business. When interviewed regarding his purpose in visiting Oakland at this time, he admitted it was for the purpose of establishing a new business relation between the employees of the local branch and the organization.

"It has been the custom of the William L. Hughson Co. to distribute bonuses annually to the employees, based upon the profits that accrue during the current year. We have now decided to establish an even closer relationship with those who work with us, by instituting a business policy that will make for a still greater co-operation," William L. Hughson, who heads the concern, has for a number of years given much thought to some plan that would permit his men to benefit more tangibly in a monetary way, for applied effort and conscientious work, so that those who show capabilities would benefit. Accordingly a plan whereby the men themselves will practically run their own departments, under their own supervision, was placed before the employees of the Oakland branch for adoption. The plan met with favor and was immediately adopted as the future policy of the organization as a whole.

Briefly, the plan is to have each department elect one of its own members to represent them in a council, composed of representatives of the other departments, who will act upon the problems arising in the different departments, which in turn will be acted upon by a senior council composed of the manager of the branch together with the actual heads of the different departments, who in turn will refer all adopted measures to the president of the council, which is composed of the president of the company and the board of directors, after which it becomes one of the business policies of the organization, under the new plan.

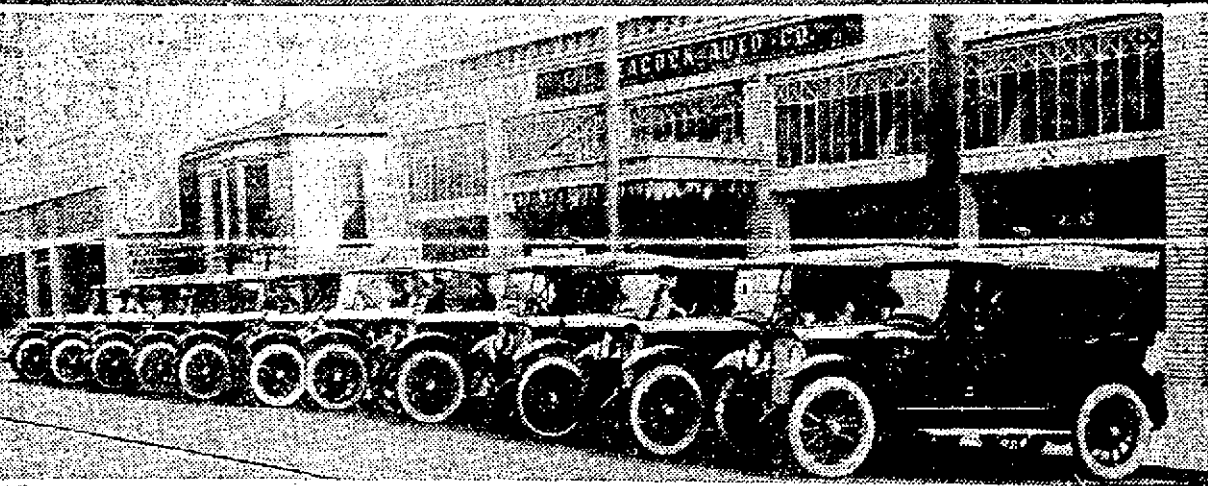
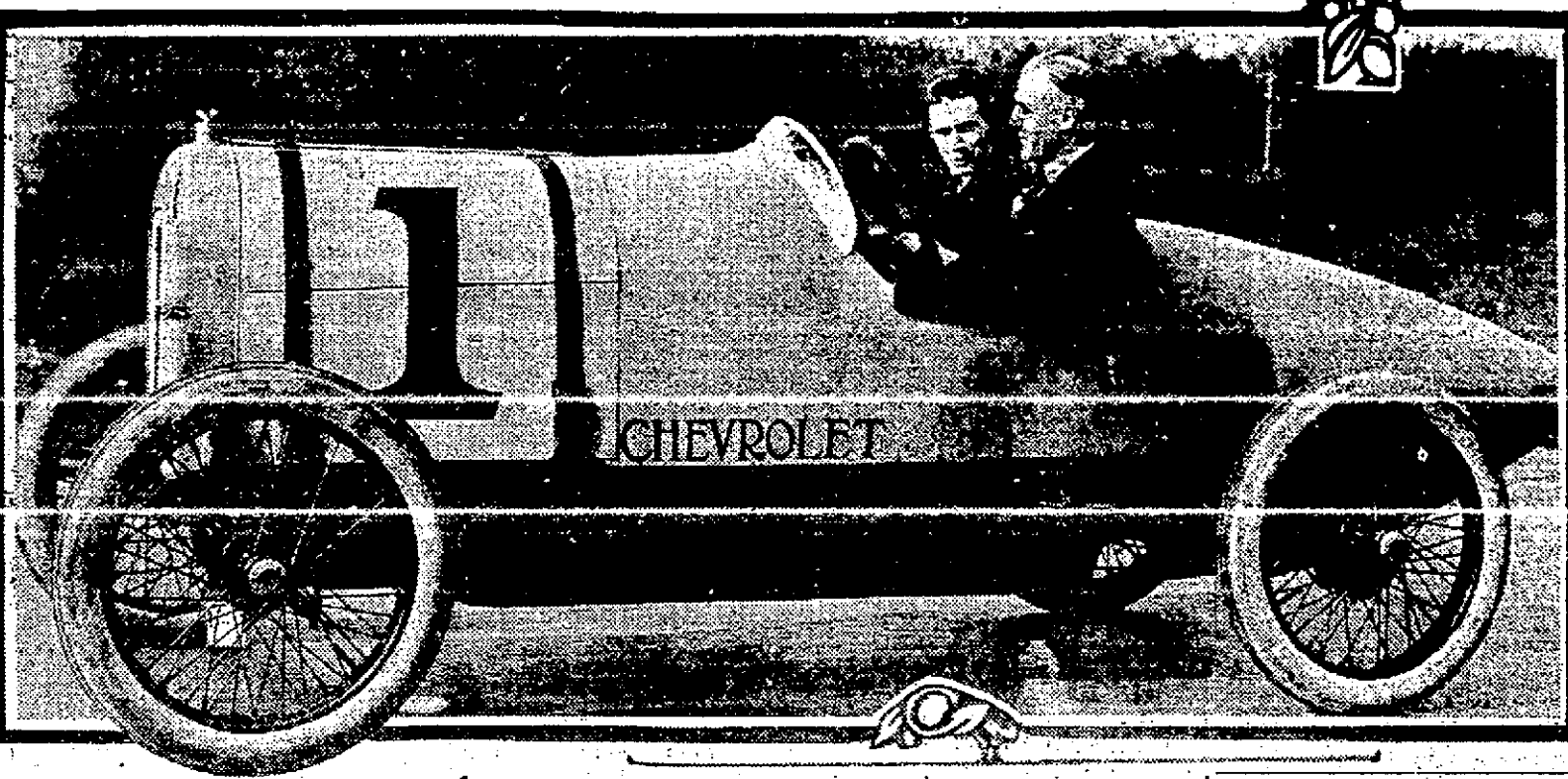
"A careful survey of the monthly business of this organization for the last three years has been made, the average monthly operating cost determined, and in the future each department will benefit monthly in accordance with the savings they have effected in their departments, as compared with the three-year average period figure, together with the increased sales. In other words, the men will benefit by decreased expenses and increased sales, which will be distributed in each department in accordance with their earnings for that month.

"Four cornerstones of this better business policy were laid at different meetings during the week, the corner stones being called Justice, Co-operation, Energy and Economy, the cap stone being called Service, which has been the copyrighted trade mark for the organization for many years.

"The entire plan and cornerstones were subscribed to by every employee at the Oakland branch, together with the signature of the officials as a binding agreement between them to henceforth conduct themselves and the business upon the principles adopted under the new plan."

This is considered a big step forward in the movement to bring the heads of a business in closer touch with the employees by establishing a

C. H. COLLIER, MANAGER OF THE LOCAL CHEVROLET RETAIL BRANCH AT THE WHEEL OF HIS FAST BENZINE chariot which is a replica of Cliff Durant's new 183 cubic inch racer which will make its debut on the Los Angeles Speedway February 22. Seated beside Collier is C. M. STEVES, assistant sales manager of the Chevrolet organization on the Pacific coast.



LINEUP OF ELEVEN CLEVELAND SIX OWNERS IN FRONT OF THE LOCAL PEACOCK Company's headquarters, representing a number of recent sales made in this city. The Cleveland has found "the going" particularly good in Oakland and vicinity and is already considered one of the most popular cars among the season's new-comers.

### Permit to Trim Trees On Highway Revoked

The California Highway Commission has revoked its permit, granted January 5, 1920, to James G. Force, to trim twenty trees on his property adjacent to the highway near the east city limits of Hollister. Upon reconsideration the commission finds that this tree trimming, proposed by Force, would set the trees back for many years and mar their beauty, contrary to the policy of the commission to preserve ornamental trees along the state highway as much as possible.

business policy that will prevail for both, and the Hughson organization is commended for recognizing in this way the men who comprise its working force.

### CLINIC IS HELD FOR AUTO TRUCK

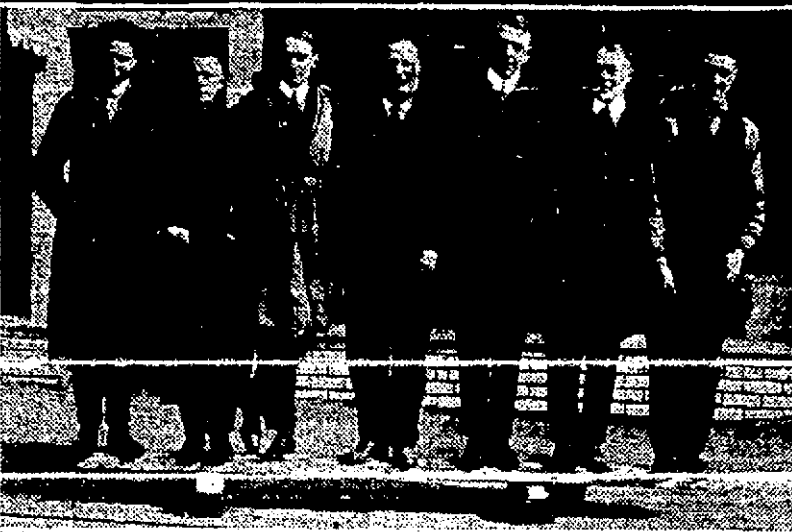
A motor truck clinic is being conducted in San Francisco. So far as there is any known record this is the only undertaking of the kind ever attempted in the bay district. It is styled a clinic, because daily both major and minor operations are being performed for the purpose of educating all who may be interested in truck construction. The clinic is free and all who attend are guaranteed against any boring spectacle. The clinic is being held in the classrooms of the Mack-International Motor Truck Corporation, 2420

Van Ness avenue. The patient is a five and one-half ton Mack truck chassis. The patient has been placed in a reclining position on its side. It is securely stayed so that there can be no danger either to the instructor or those who witness the operations.

A lateral incision has been made in the truck's carcass and all vital organs are exposed to view. By special connection with an electric motor these organs are made to function exactly as they do when the truck is upright on the wheels and in full operation.

The patient did not submit easily to the operation as no anaesthetic was administered. However, it is not a complaint. It required the services of several house movers and a corps of mechanics to prepare it for the clinic but all these little details were attended to in the privacy of the Mack salesroom and the public has been spared in this respect.

TWO EXIDE "GIANT" BATTERY JARS SUPPORTING seven real husky employees of the Smith United Service Company. This test was given to show what poundage a jar can stand up under and still be able to perform its proper duties.



### TRUCK PLANNED FOR FARM USE

To fill a nation-wide demand for a good farmer's truck, the United States Motor Truck Company of Covington, Ky., has designed the one and one-half-ton United States Farm Truck with the United States type of farm body. "In the planning of this truck," said Forrest J. Alvin, general manager of the company, "we were guided by intimate knowledge of what a motor truck must do to be most useful to the farmers. For several years we made careful study and close observation of the needs and requirements of farm hauling and rural transportation. Applying expert engineering and designing ability to the work, and using the results of our experience in the construction of motor trucks, we produced a truck which satisfactorily and practically solved the farm-haulage problem. It has been found that farmers are using motor trucks more and more now in the marketing of farm animals and in the general work of the farm. With the development of the time as shown in our new model, and with the general adoption of motor trucks by America's millions of farmers, the volume of the motor truck business generally will be vastly increased."

Financial circles throughout the country place the 1920 demand for motor vehicles as follows: Passenger cars, minimum, 1,895,000; maximum, 3,070,000; trucks, minimum, 225,000; maximum, 375,000.

### AUTO RACING ART, SAYS NEW BOOK

An interesting description of automobile racing is contained in a booklet just issued by The Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company. Starting with a dedication to the daring drivers who by their racing have contributed to the advancement of automobile development, the booklet gives a resume of the 1919 racing season, describing all the important races and the thrills accompanying each.

The place of racing in automobile development, how racing tires are made and the terrific conditions under which they are used, the wonderful timing apparatus and such interesting places as the pits, which spectators seldom see, but in which men work with demoniacal energy, to save precious moments for the cars and drivers, are all vividly described.

The booklet is profusely illustrated with action photographs, taken at all the important races of the year and in addition are shown the courageous men who guide these monsters of steel that travel with lightning-like speed.

These booklets are a valuable contribution to racing literature and will be sent by the Goodyear Company to any racing enthusiast upon written application.

to it that the vehicles are operated carefully in the congested districts.

## BUILDING MANY ROADS IN NORTH

In anticipation of the greatly increased production facilities to be realized when established in its new Burbank plant within a few weeks the Moreland Motor Truck Company has recently added a number of new agencies to the long list which now dot the map of the United States west of the Rockies.

General Sales Manager P. E. Mallory has just returned from a trip to Salt Lake and the north. At Salt Lake City he closed for an agency with the Yellowstone Park Garage to handle Moreland products. The establishment of the agency in Salt Lake county, who were in a highly ecstatic mood over the successful culmination of their long fight to secure the transfer of ownership of the Moreland trucks used by the government during the war to insure for use in road work. They have secured nine.

Mr. Mallory also completed arrangements with the Commercial Motors Company of Seattle to establish branch agencies in Spokane and Portland. The entire northern section is now thoroughly taken care of, including Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho. There are Moreland dealers in every county in Washington and in Victoria and Vancouver, B. C.

The territory about Pasadena, including Altadena, San Gabriel, Monrovia and Azusa, which has heretofore been handled by the Los Angeles local sales force has now been set apart as a separate agency. Robert J. McNab has been appointed agent in that section.

Mr. Mallory was especially impressed on his trip by the evidence everywhere of tremendous activity in road building. This was particularly noticeable in the northwestern where many miles of new roads are under construction. This has led to a great demand for the big dump trucks which are selling in large quantities.

PROSPECTS ARE PLENTYFUL.

The "Tuller Auto Company," distributors for King "8" and Auburn Beauty Six, have received the good news that they will receive an allotment of both cars—1920 models—this week, which of course hurried their feelings, says Tuller, manager of the firm. "We were not able to get space at the show, but our good prospects are plentiful, so that we won't have to worry what we will do to keep the ball rolling. I have seen the cars as fast as we want things that's all we will want."

To clear Broadway of street cars and make it a thoroughfare exclusively for motor vehicles, the New York City Broadway Association is mapping out a campaign to submit a project to members on the question of substituting a system of automobile bus lines.

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| 32x3 1/2 | 15.85         | \$16.25 | 2.70           |
| 32x4     | 21.15         | 22.00   | 3.25           |
| 33x4     | 22.00         | 22.75   | 3.35           |
| 34x4 1/2 | 30.35         | 32.40   | 4.20           |
| 35x5     | 36.15         | 38.90   | 5.25           |

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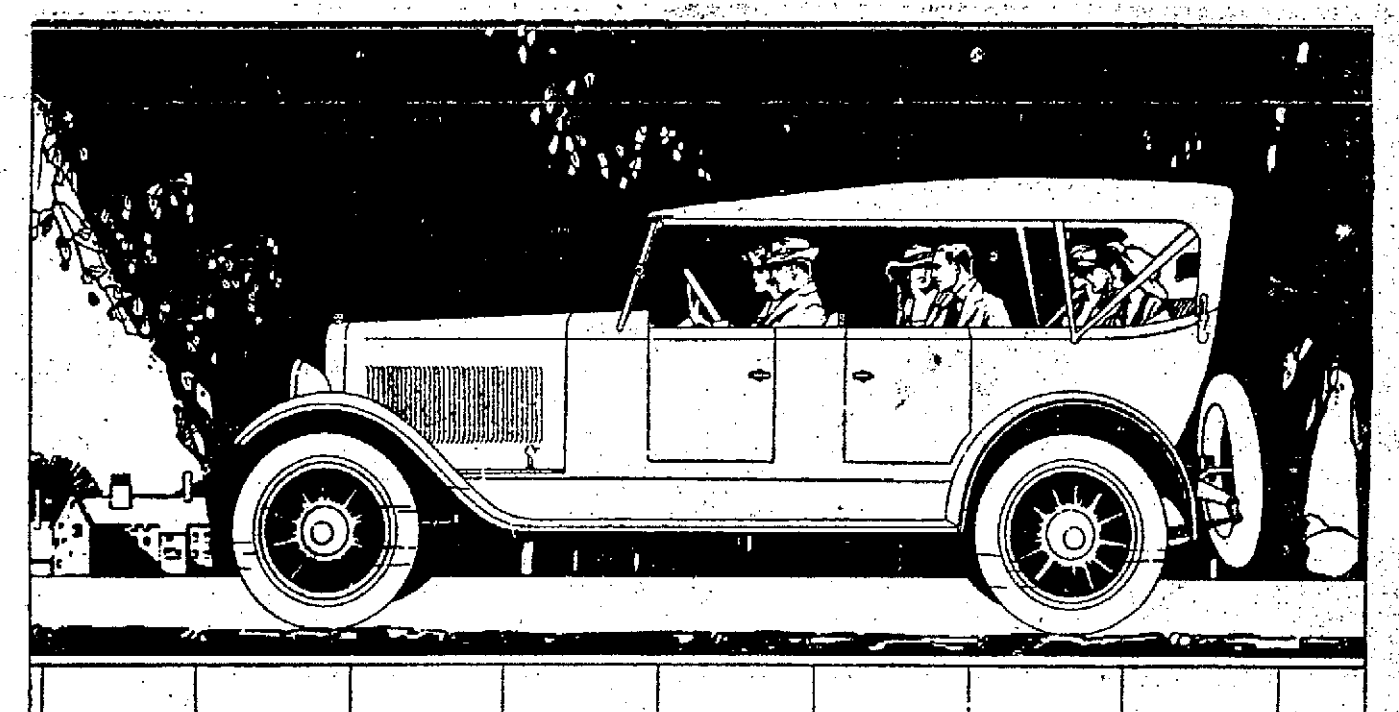
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## Europe Welcomes The Chandler Six

NOW and then you read something about "French style and line" in automobiles, or perhaps it's "the newest English idea." And some folks have gone across to get the newest suggestions.

Europe hasn't built automobiles for five years and Europe is crying for new cars and good cars.

America's style is Europe's style now.

The Chandler Six, popular in many other countries for years but kept out of Europe the past three years because of war-time prohibition of shipments, is welcomed everywhere in Europe now,—welcomed for the excellence of its performance, and quite as much for the beauty of its styles of body.

The Chandler, represented in the British Isles by Messrs. H. G. Burford & Company, Ltd., of London, was exhibited by that old established English automotive house, at the great Olympia Motor Show,

and was "quite the sensation of the show," says a London cable.

"Three hundred and seventy Chandlers were sold in two days."

Apparently England is greatly pleased with America's best style in motor cars.

**The Chandler Offers Highest Quality At The Fairest Price**

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| Seven-Passenger Sedan, \$2895       | Four-Passenger Coupe, \$2795    |
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3020 BROADWAY, OAKLAND

LAKESIDE 5100

**CHANDLER MOTOR CAR COMPANY, CLEVELAND, OHIO**



# SNOW FAILS TO HOLD UP THIS TRUCK

Bayne, Brown & Company, 2847 Broadway, recently effected delivery of a Ford truck, equipped with a Fabco frame, to Grant's Pass, Ore.

A Mr. Walker purchased a Ford truck for use on his Oregon ranch, and as he desired to haul loads of two tons, equipped the truck with a Fabco frame and a 12 1/2 inch axle. The truck was loaded with 2800 pounds of farm machinery and was driven to the ranch on the morning of January 13, 1920. The salesman who made the sale, driving.

The road as far as Red Bluff was in fair shape with the exception of about sixteen miles in Yolo county, which Brown says could be much improved. After a stopover of a day Red Bluff was left behind on the afternoon of January 13, and in the day he missed the highway and arrived at Kennett.

## ROUTE RETRACED.

The Ford was one of a very few cars seen in the town, and anyone who had seen it knew that it was one of the worst grades in the state have to be negotiated, and Brown had to retrace his route nine miles to hit the highway again. The road on to Yuba City was in fair shape, but after leaving that place melting snow and mud made some hard going. Chains were used over most of the route to Weed and the night of the thirteenth was passed there. Brown was advised that he would not be able to proceed further owing to road conditions, and the fact that few cars and not any trucks had made the trip since fall, but Brown had to see for himself.

## SLIDES BLOCK ROAD.

On the mountain road above Hornbrook several had slides had been opened to the effect that the highway was closed. Brown claims he did not see the signs. In many places there were heavy clouds of snow. The road had been filled with crushed rock and this was for the most part covered with snow and mud. However the Ford truck, which was loaded with machinery, reached late that evening after a successful day's driving. North of Weed only two cars were met coming south, both big touring cars and both sorry they ever started the trip. Not a car of any description was seen headed north.

Brown says that anyone desiring to make this trip will be well advised to make it in a lower Pullman berth, and he should know.

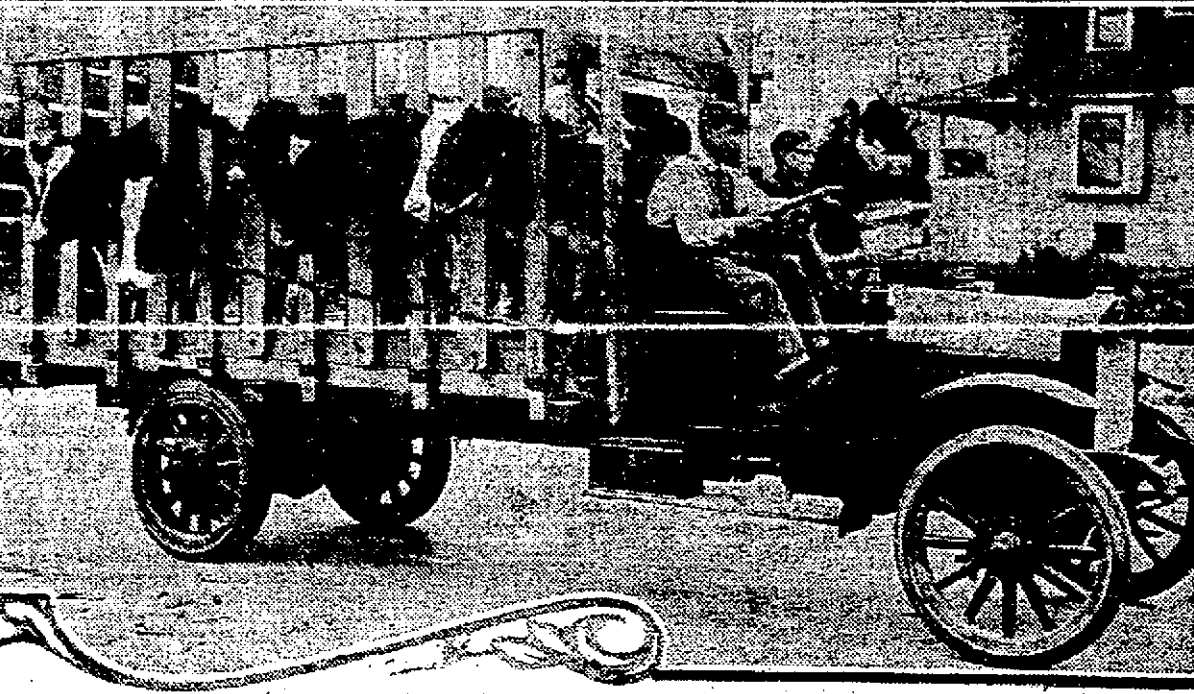
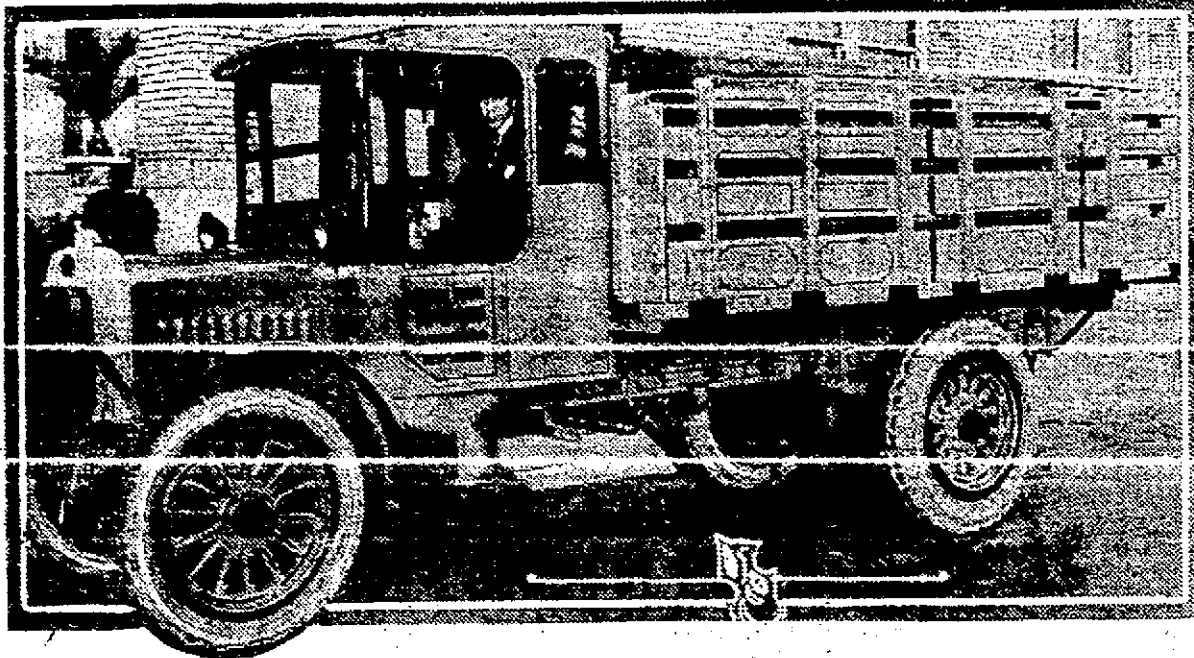
Bayne, Brown & Company represent the manufacturers of the Fabco frame and have just delivered eight of these frames to be placed on Ford trucks for the Moore Shipyards.

## Vibrator Cause of Most Car Expenses

That much of the money you spend for repairs, replacements and service is a result of badly vibrated cars is pointed out in an article in February Motor entitled "The Flapjacks, the Fiddle and the Motor Car." The title terms are not as disconnected as one might imagine, for the author, H. A. Tarantous, member S. A. E., points out some interesting facts about vibration in buildings and how a fiddle properly played could split one in two, quoting the scientist, Nicholas Tesla. Engine vibration wears bearings, pistons, cylinders and all parts of the chassis, and the author shows how this vibration is reduced in our cars. He also shows the importance of knowing bearing sizes and crankshaft diameters and why manufacturers lay stress on certain technical phases of construction that the buyer usually overlooks.

The high-water mark for imports of automobiles to the United States was \$2,857,000 in 1919.

GRAMM-BERNSTEIN TWO-TON CAPACITY WITH UNITED STATES PNEUMATIC CORD equipment recently sold by Philip S. Cole, Inc., to H. B. Waldron of the Bonnie Doon ranch. This particular truck is equipped with a body that is especially designed for general ranch hauling.



STOCK RAISERS IN CALIFORNIA ARE MORE AND MORE DEPENDING ON THE MOTOR truck as a means of delivery. Photo shows 2-ton Diamond "T" truck being used for this purpose.

## HOME INDUSTRY WELL UNDER WAY

The increasing interest manifested in Oakland's home industries is proven by the many inquiries in regard to their future plans and construction work which have been received at the Oakland offices of the Coast Tire and Rubber Company here. The fact that Oakland is to be made the home of such a big industrial plant has aroused civic pride and won the heartiest endorsement of men in all lines of business activity to the men who have put their money and their efforts into the big new local industry and so evidenced their faith in the future of this city as an industrial center. The men who have interested themselves in the new Oakland company are men trained in the work which they are undertaking. Years of experience fit them for the task of starting the local plant, which is figured in time will rank as one of the largest and most up-to-date industrial plants on the coast. The Special literature of the new factory is now being prepared by the company officials and full information in regard to the plans of the

## Another Addition to Auto Row Here

Automobile row has another addition introducing the Armleder truck, which will be distributed by the firm Teter-Davis-Titus Company in their new quarters, Twenty-ninth and Webster streets. S. G. Teter, who has been in the motor truck business for nine years and is the organizer of a transportation company operating between San Francisco and San Jose, says that he was greatly impressed by the manufacturing methods used by these people. He says that they have a reputation for the service they maintain, and all dealers must do likewise or lose the agency. Davis and Titus, who have been in business in Berkeley up till the present time will work up an organization, according to Titus, that will not only give service but will also be ready to explain the many patented exclusive features of this truck.

Those who have made a careful study of the company's plans and have examined into the future of the rubber manufacturing industry declare that a bright future awaits the men who have placed their confidence in Oakland.

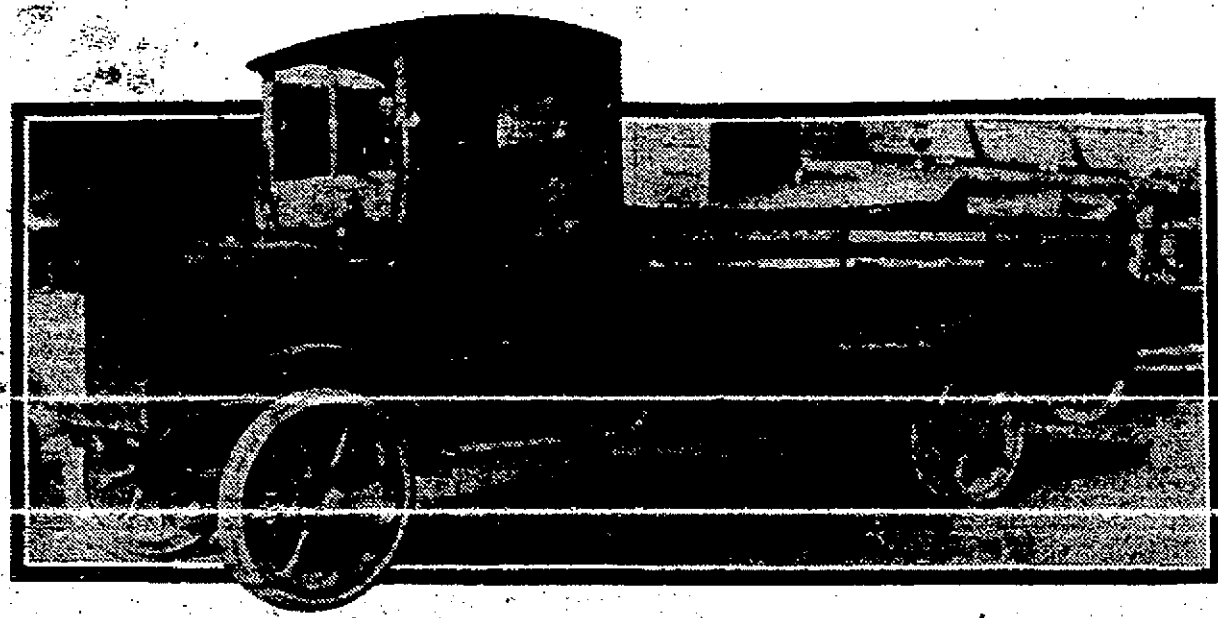
## Banning Wants State To Pave City Street

In response to a petition of the local authorities of the city of Banning, San Bernardino county, requesting the California highway commission to take over and build the state highway on Ramsay street in the said city, the highway engineer has been requested to make a study of the main street of the city of Banning and report with recommendations as to what portions of said street if any should be built.

part of the state highway system, with further recommendations as to width, type of pavement, etc.

The District of Columbia has 50,000 motor cars.

THIS MORELAND DISTILLATE TWO-AND-ONE-HALF-TON CAPACITY TRUCK Recently delivered to C. Cotella & Company for service in the Bay Farm Island vegetable gardens is proving up to the established reputation the truck enjoys for reliability.



## Lincoln Association Officers Gladdened By Note of Cheer

Every now and then the officers of the Lincoln Highway Association, with headquarters in Detroit, who with a birdseye view of the whole Lincoln Highway situation between the two coasts, sometimes feel compared with the magnitude of the task, are cheered by the receipt of unexpected support or a friendly letter commencing the work of the association.

The apparent apathy of some of the communities located on the Lincoln Highway, and in a position to secure all the benefits from the association's work, is thrown into contrast by the excellent support given the organization from many of the other communities on the route and from points often scores of miles removed from it.

The following letter from a resident of Detroit, 120 miles from the nearest point on the Lincoln highway, in response to one of the association's general appeals for membership, indicates that the results which the association is achieving are sometimes more greatly appreciated by those whose distance from the route gives them a perspective on the great work:

"The Lincoln Highway Association, January 10, 1920. Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Sirs: Your letter of January 6 concerning Lincoln highway membership received.

Enclosed is check for \$10.00. I do not know what kind of a membership this remittance carries, but your work certainly merits more than a \$5 sustaining membership and I am pleased to remit as above.

Sincerely yours, D. M. FERRY, Jr."

Automobiles were barred from travel in Central Park, New York City, twenty years ago.

## COLD WEATHER. OIL EXPLAINED

"Use of a Zero Cold Test oil made from selected California crude oil assures correct lubrication of the automobile in cold weather right from the first turn of the motor," stated Mr. F. A. Williamson, district sales manager of the Standard Oil Company, yesterday.

"That's why there is such a demand during this cold weather for Zerolene Medium and Zerolene Light. These Zero Cold Test Oils do not thicken excessively in any temperature above zero and because they keep their fluidity, or free flowing body, they keep the automobile engine flexible in cold weather.

"Some motorists do not realize that the oil in their engines may congeal at low temperature, at least they do not realize it until serious damage to the poorly lubricated engine brings it forcibly to their attention. An engine started with congealed oil runs for some time without sufficient lubrication until the thickened oil can be heated and its fluidity restored. After this process has been repeated time after time during the cold weather months it is not necessary to tell the damage that may be done by that time—the motorist knows what excessive friction can do.

The average output of motor vehicles for 1919 in the United States was 6445 per working day.

## MARMON EXHIBIT SENT TO COAST

The special exhibit of the Marmon 34 motor, which attracted so much attention while it was on display in the lobby of the Commodore Hotel in New York during the New York show, is being brought to the coast, according to word received yesterday by A. W. Rawlings, dealer here for the Marmon.

This unique exhibit, which was under the management of Bert Dingley and a crew of mechanics, consisted of the taking down and putting together of the Marmon motor in one hour and forty-five minutes. Not only did the work give the observers a chance to examine the new high efficiency motor in detail, but it also showed conclusively the nice workmanship, the accuracy of construction and the wonderful skill which had gone into the production of the new Marmon motor.

The exhibit was also the feature of the Chicago show," said Rawlings yesterday, "according to word that I have received from Al G. Faulkner, and is now en route to the coast. Efforts will be made by Rawlings to secure the exhibit for Oakland. Demand for the new series Marmon has increased rapidly since the Oakland show, due to the sensation which the car made there, and its recent demonstrations in Oakland, which prove its power and high efficiency, have further increased its popularity with quality car buyers.

## SALES RECORDS BIG IN TRUCKS

The increasing importance of the automobile and the motor truck for business purposes is widely recognized and progressive Oakland merchants are keenly aware of the business advantages of the gasoline driven vehicle.

The progressive business spirit of the city is shown by the record number of sales of both cars and trucks made by automobile dealers here during the last two months.

"If sales records can be relied on as an accurate index of the investment value of the various lines, the Oldsmobile car and the Oldsmobile Economy truck win first place," declare Markham and Purser, local Oldsmobile dealers. "For the past few weeks have been record breakers."

The Oldsmobile truck, as well as the car, is a popular favorite not only in Oakland, but under all kinds of conditions all over the country.

"The success of the Oldsmobile Economy truck is little less than phenomenal," said Markham yesterday. "Put on the market for the first time only one year ago, 4000 of the new trucks have been built, sold and delivered. A new world's record for truck merchandising."

"Undoubtedly the twenty-two years' experience of the Oldsmobile factory in passenger car building, their experience and the prestige of the Oldsmobile name had much to do with this success, but records of conditions all over the country show the success of the Oldsmobile Economy truck is little less than phenomenal," said Markham yesterday. "Put on the market for the first time only one year ago, 4000 of the new trucks have been built, sold and delivered. A new world's record for truck merchandising."

Markham reports a continued demand for both the sixes and eights in the passenger car line and is making efforts to secure more cars for this territory.

## Spark Plug Trouble Prevention is Told

Two common causes of spark plug trouble are oil or particles of carbon collecting between the points and sooting of the porcelain. The first may be remedied by carefully removing the oil or carbon and thus clearing the gap. If the carbon on the porcelain is hard, do not attempt to scrape it off. Soak the porcelain in kerosene or liquid carbon remover until the carbon is soft enough to wipe off cleanly with a cloth. Points out of adjustment or burned away will also cause missing. The points should be adjusted to a gap of from 1/32 to 1/16th of an inch, depending upon the ignition system, carburetor adjustment and design of motor.

**The Harvey Wheel Products Co.**  
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A motor that responds to YOUR whims. A motor that you don't have to humor. A motor that doesn't argue with you.

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As a car is 98% metal you can readily imagine how great a part metals play in its quality. A Maxwell is made of fine metals—extra fine metals; otherwise it never could have survived those 1,500,000,000 miles that owners are estimated to have driven it.

These metals had to be of the finer grades in a Maxwell. For a Maxwell is light—2130 pounds. Lighter metals had to be used but lighter in weight only—not in strength.

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This vast number is growing daily at the rate of 100,000 per year.

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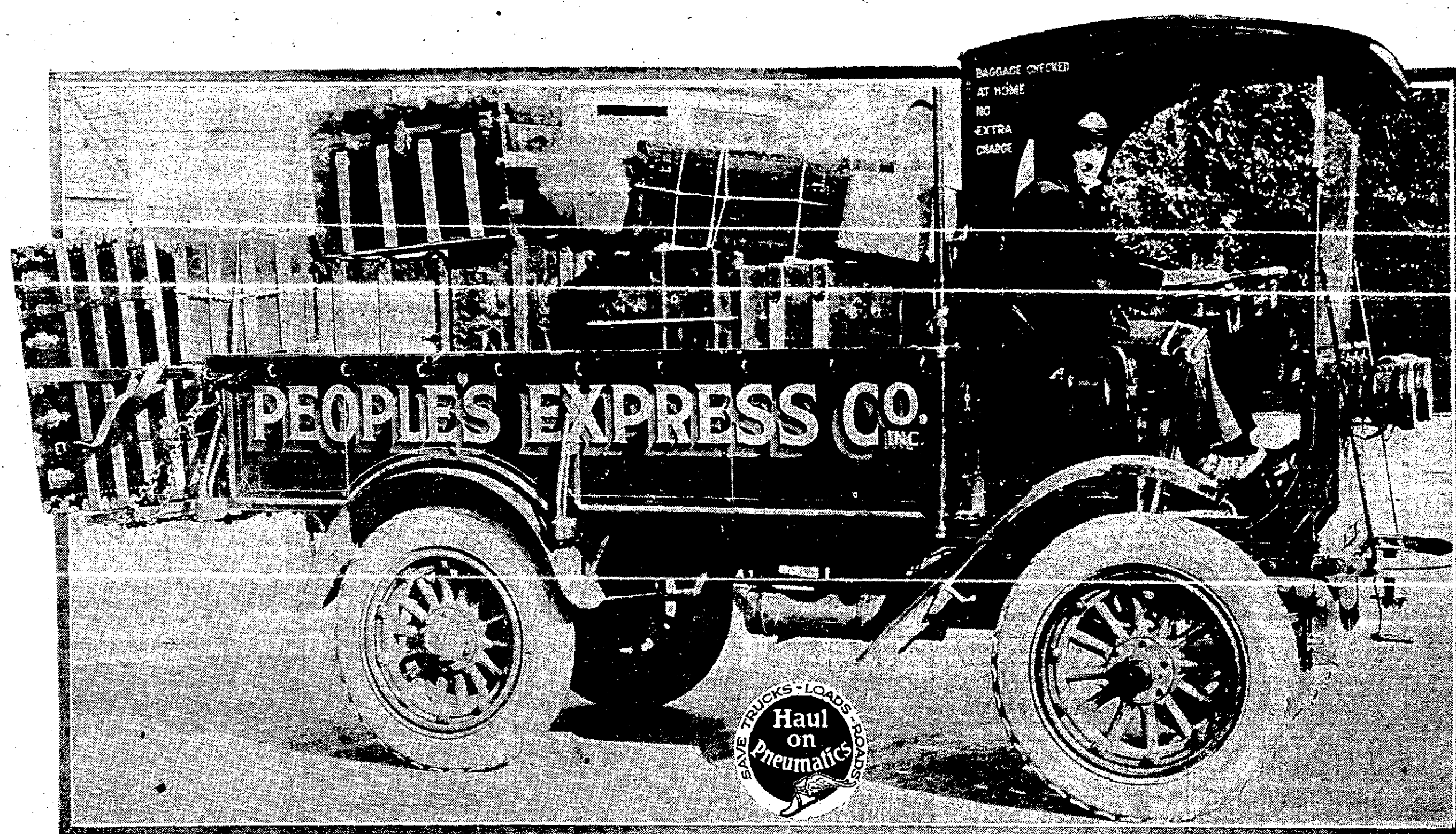
**ADVANCED** in every feature, the Haynes more than merits your favor.

The new Haynes is a character car. Each style deftly combines the four essential factors of car-character—beauty, strength, power and comfort. Engine, chassis, interior and exterior finish—each detail agreeably satisfies the demand of good taste and service. A limited number of open models for immediate delivery this week.

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## Far Superior to Solid Tires Say Peoples Express Company

*"We have truck equipped with Goodyear Cord Truck Tires, one set of which has 3,963 miles.*

*"These tires have been very satisfactory and extremely practical.*

*"They offer us better traction than solids, greatly increase the daily earnings of the truck, and also reduce our expenses in gasoline and oil.*

*"Then, too, the Cord Tires relieve the truck and load from shocks of the road and these are the reasons I believe pneumatics are far superior to solids.*

*PEOPLES EXPRESS COMPANY."*

Goodyear Cords have proved economical for the Peoples Express Company to such an extent that Mr. Alborelli says, they are far superior to solids.

The Express Company finds pneumatics have reduced gasoline and oil bills to a noticeable degree.

L. A. Alborelli also says, that the daily earning power of the truck is greatly increased due to

the increased average speed permitted by the Goodyear Cords.

Another big asset is the traction which the sharp All-Weather buttons afford under the most severe conditions.

Then, too, this company notices that the wear and tear on the truck and load is minimized by the use of pneumatics.

These, then, are some of the advantages of Cord

Truck Tires, or, in other words, reasons why you should adopt them for your truck.

To realize the popularity of these tires it is only necessary for you to walk down Broadway or San Pablo Avenue and compare the number of Cord Truck Tires with the number a few months ago.

We believe that we can save you money in trucking costs as we have many other Oakland truck operators. Let's get together.

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**GOODYEAR**



# TRUCK'S LIFE IS PUZZLING PROPOSITION

THE E. K. WOOD LUMBER CO. THINKS ENOUGH OF THE DEPENDABILITY OF THE Federal truck to add another 2-ton job to their already large fleet of delivery machines.



THE UNUSUALLY SNAPPY APPEARANCE OF THE OLDSMOBILE EIGHT-CYLINDER "Thoroughbred," surmounted by a Gillig top, won the heart of Arthur G. Potter, prominent Oakland business man, when he viewed it at the Oakland Auto Show. The photograph shows the car which Markham & Purser, Oldsmobile distributors, had the pleasure of delivering to him last week. The new owner's little daughter, ANN MARIE, is at the wheel.

## U. S. FIRST IN AUTO DESIGNING

As in most everything else, America leads the world in designing automobiles. "Europe looks to us to set the pace because American social distinction, prestige and reputation make it absolutely necessary to use the most extreme judgment in the selection of our motor cars," says Louis Pacheco Jordan dealer here. "American cars are designed with good taste, exclusiveness, a car that is decidedly out of the ordinary, one that is a thoroughbred from head to tail light, thoroughly at home on the avenue or boulevard, in company with the most distinguished of the crowd that commands a second look and places its owner in motorist's hall of fame as an individual who knows motor car values and uses rare judgment in their selection—a car that can ramble along at a crowded traffic pace or be quick as lightning on the getaway and fully equal to a spirited brush with a neighbor or friend."

## Company Increases Sales 60 Per Cent

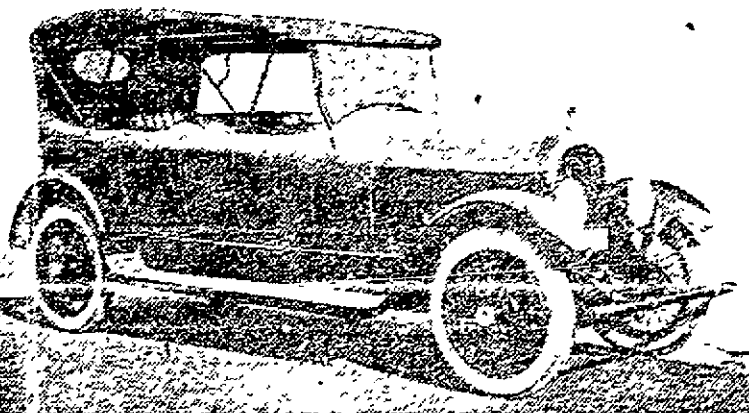
Instead of a "nearly 50 per cent" increase in 1919 sales volume, compared with 1918 as predicted a few weeks ago by an official of the Miller Rubber Company of Akron, the actual figures, now available, show that company's selling growth to have been slightly more than 60 per cent over the 1918 mark. Nineteen million was the record Miller year.

## Highway Extension In Lassen County

The California highway commission at a recent meeting decided to extend the state highway in Lassen county from its present terminus to connect with the main business street of Susanville, and the highway engineer has been instructed to negotiate with the contractor, now engaged in building that portion of the state highway, to build this extension under the terms and conditions of his present contract.

The latest production in motor trucks is a huge five-ton funeral car now in operation in Detroit, Michigan. It has a seating capacity for forty people, length of twenty-seven feet and is provided with a separate compartment for the casket.

# MARMON 34



A new degree of accuracy, a new fineness in manufacture mark the building of the new series Marmon High Efficiency Motor.

It is one reason why the engine is so marvelously smooth and free from vibration at all speeds.

You will recognize the evidences of unusual workmanship when you inspect the new series Marmon 34.

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DISTRIBUTORS  
MARION-VELIE MOTOR CARS  
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# EXPECTS STILL HIGHER PRICES

It is probable that existing conditions, unparalleled in the history of the automobile industry, will continue indefinitely. This suggests an acute shortage of cars and trucks, particularly the several types of enclosed automobiles, and points positively to increased prices. Pacific Coast points will continue to suffer because of lack of rail transportation facilities.

These are the observations of L. D. Allen, president of the California Motor Sales Company, on his return from the East. A definite lack of materials, labor unrest, freight car shortage and congestion continue to embarrass automotive production and distribution, he says, while the popular clamor for cars and trucks continues unabated.

"Conditions at the Cole factory are prophetic. Increased production facilities are not entirely available through lack of materials, and where larger production prevails, a condition that is quite general, the increase has failed to take care of the bigger demand," says Allen.

"It is curious to note the attitude of the factory officials. They have had the pleasure of watching demand leap ahead of production for so long now that they have come to be among the most independent merchandisers in the world. They have gotten beyond the point of trying to placate the distributor. Naturally, these boom conditions have attracted a number of smaller manufacturers who see 'clean-up' times ahead and these have succeeded in contributing to the demoralization of the material markets. Sharp advances in the price of materials generally is inevitable, and since other production costs have no downward tendency, it is obvious that prices must have a corresponding rise."

"By spring there will be a number of cars for sale on the Pacific Coast the name of which will cause the inevitable query: 'Where is it made?' The conclusion is that when normal conditions prevail there will be a big addition to the well-known orphan family."

## Two-Cylinder Packard Serves Abbe 20 Years

In the February issue of Motor there is a brief but interesting article celebrating the silver jubilee of a motor car. It seems that in its issue of August, 1911, Motor published a story written by Abbe Gavois, cure of a little village in Picardie, Raineville, describing the twenty years service of his Panhard of the vintage of 1891.

"It was somewhat of a wonder even then," continues the story, "that this ancient vehicle should have lasted so many years in the strenuous service of parochial duties which the good abbe imposed upon it. But lo, in this year of 1930 comes word from France and a picture to substantiate it that not only has the kindly abbe weathered the storms of the past five years, but he is still visiting his scattered flock in the venerable Panhard, with its two cylinder engine, its steel tires and its general appearance of having come down from another era."

## Rain Often Causes Short Circuit Break

When a car stops in a heavy rain-storm suspect the distributor, the top of the coil or the plugs and wires of being wet. Water is an excellent conductor of electricity. A driving rainstorm will enter through the ventilation cuts in the hood and often manage to produce a short circuit which stops the car as effectively as if it were robbed of its spark plugs. The only remedy is to wait for the affected parts to dry, or to locate them and dry them off with rags. The best remedy is prevention. Small covers of oilcloth made to fit over the coil and distributor, similar in effect to the leather hood which usually protects magnetos, will keep out the fine water spray which does the damage, and prevent an annoying stop under uncomfortable circumstances.

Rio de Janeiro, with a population of approximately 1,000,000, has a motor car for every 400 persons within its borders.

## Care of Car Rules Given Publicity By Rubber Co.

One of the big rubber companies attached to every shipment of brake lining a card containing some suggestions which are worthy of general circulation:

- 1—Storage battery inspected every two weeks.
- 2—Grease cups turned up every 1,000 miles.
- 3—Springs oiled every week.
- 4—Oil and gasoline connections inspected every week.
- 5—Crankcase drained and washed out with kerosene every 500 miles.
- 6—Universal joints packed with grease every 1,000 miles.
- 7—Differential and transmissions packed with grease or oil every 1,000 miles.
- 8—Spark plugs cleaned every 1,000 miles.
- 9—Carbon removed from cylinders twice a year.
- 10—Valves ground each 5,000 miles.
- 11—New piston rings every eighteen months.
- 12—See that wheels are in line once a month.
- 13—See that the water is circulating every time the car is started.
- 14—Bearings on wheels inspected once a month.
- 15—Gasoline pipe and carburetor thoroughly cleaned every month.
- 16—Self-starter inspected every month.
- 17—Steering wheel and steering knuckles inspected once a month.
- 18—Test brakes and equalize once a month.

## State Association Opens New Offices

President John W. Stetson of the California State Automobile Association yesterday announced the opening of two new branch offices of the association effective April 1. A new office giving the full service of the association is to be opened at Modesto, one of the gateways to the Yosemite Valley. The other will be a district office at Salinas.

Don't leave vehicles within 15 feet of fire hydrants.

## Concrete Bridges in Tehama Co. Proposed

The supervisors of Tehama county are preparing to construct concrete bridges over Mill creek, Thomas creek and Red Bank creek on the route of the state highway in that county and have submitted plans and specifications for the same to the California Highway Commission for approval and have requested immediate action.

Do be alert.

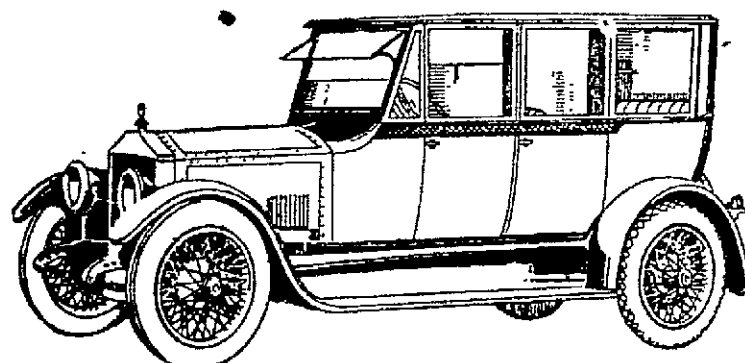


Every Roamer detail is correct as demonstrated by its superior road performance in years past. Undisputed in Strength, Beauty of Design, Power, Particular Appointments, Speed and Finish.

See the late models on exhibition in our salesrooms.

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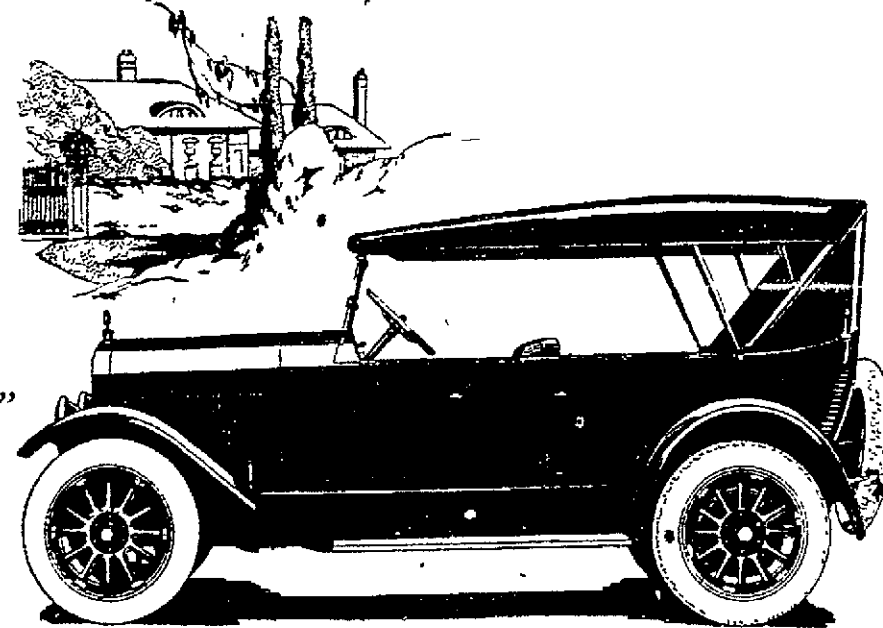
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Owing to lack of space at the show we were not able to exhibit our cars as we had planned. No doubt you are trying to settle definitely in your mind which car you will purchase, but in all due credit to yourself it will pay you to investigate the King 8 before the final decision is made.

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THE Chevrolet "Four-Ninety" Touring Car possesses all the necessary qualifications and ability to satisfy those who, although desiring to spend a limited amount of money for a car, wish to possess an automobile having sufficient power and all round capabilities to do all that can be expected of any motor car.

Chevrolet Motor Company of California  
Broadway at 28th  
Telephone Lakeside 122





# CAR DEALER IN AIRSHIP BEATS RIVAL

Another interesting chapter was written into the annals of the automobile industry last week when for the first time an airplane was brought into service by a used car dealer in a successful effort to outdistance his competitors and consummate a deal. In the used car business, as in the other branches of the automobile industry, the chief difficulty encountered is the lack of cars. The demand for high grade used cars is far greater than the supply. Consequently, whenever the news of an impending sale reaches the dealers, there is a wild scramble to be first on the scene. The first man to arrive is usually the one lucky enough to secure the coveted car. Especially true, is this the case when the cars are at some distance from the city and a trip by train is necessitated.

**RUSH FOR TIME TABLE.**  
When Horace Dawson and Ed Burke of the National Motor Exchange of San Francisco heard from a complacent dealer that two Pierce Arrows belonging to the estate of a wealthy rancher of Red Bluff were to be sold at the highest bidder at an auction last Wednesday, there was an immediate rush for a time table. On consulting it they discovered the reason for their competitor's complacency—there was no other train till the following day.

As it chanced, Dawson is a recent convert to flying, having taken several rides in planes, and being fully alive to the possibilities offered by this latest mode of transportation, immediately hit upon the idea of flying to Red Bluff in an effort to beat his competitors to it, although they had over an hour's start.

**AIRSHIP CHARTERED.**  
Jumping into an automobile Dawson hurried to the Marina and chartered a plane from the Western Aircraft company. Swiftly the plane rose, and making a sharp turn, headed north in a race against time. The trip, over a distance of 185 miles by air, was accomplished in less than two hours.

The usual time by train is between eight and nine hours. Upon arriving at their goal the pilot circled over the town and then landed on a perfect landing in a wheat field on the outskirts of the town.

In less than half an hour the deal was closed and Dawson on his way back to the city. It was a triumph in the knowledge that two Pierce Arrows were being shipped to him that would net him a handsome profit.

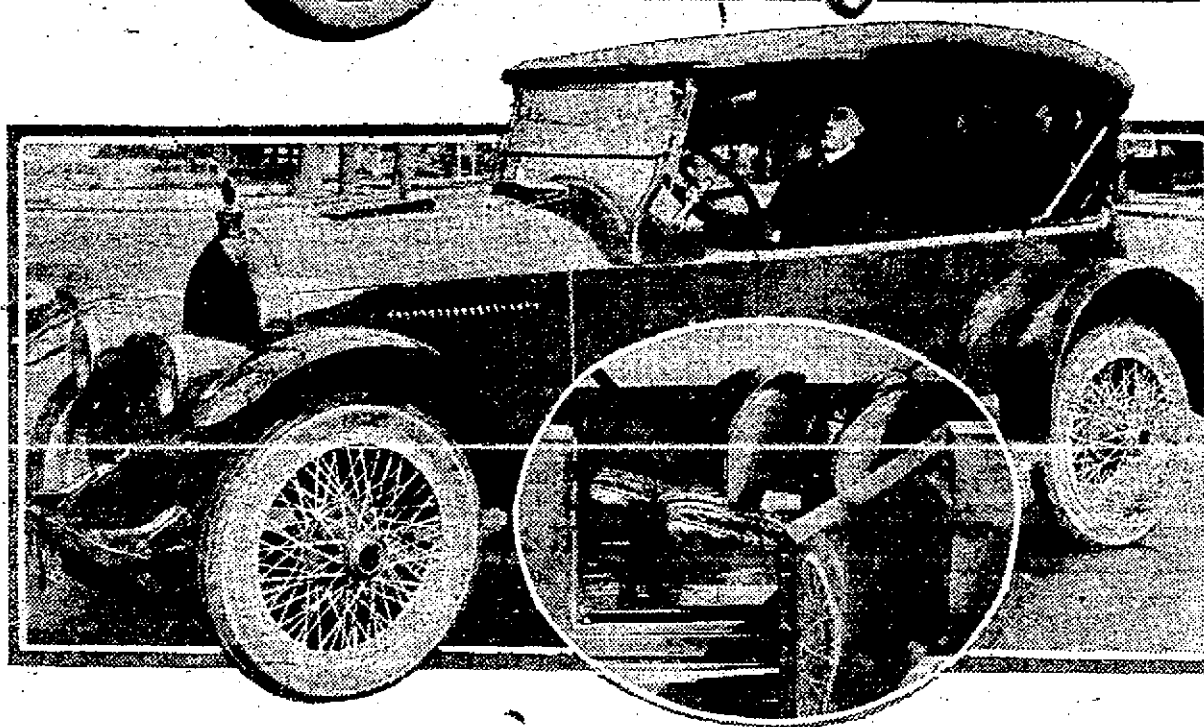
# MOTOR PRESIDENT TO CHANGE WORK

Arthur T. Murray, president of the Bethlehem Motors corporation since its inception, has relinquished the title to Hiram F. Harris, general manager at the Allentown plant, and will hereafter be solely identified with the American Bosch Magneto corporation, which he now serves as president. This action leaves Mr. Murray to devote his entire effort to the building of the American Bosch Magneto corporation to the same high standard he built the Bethlehem Motors organization.

Mr. Harris came to the Bethlehem Motors corporation several months ago as general manager. He was formerly general manager of the Republic Motor Truck company, and is one of the best-known industrial engineers in the country. It was the manner in which he took hold at the Bethlehem plant that decided the board of directors to elect him president as well as general manager. This change cannot help but greatly increase the possibilities of both organizations.

With a total of \$50,000 to be divided among the first ten cars to finish in the seventh international 500-mile automobile race at Indianapolis, which will be held in May, \$20,000 will go to the winner of the race.

MRS. WILLIAM E. LEIBING AT THE WHEEL OF HER NEW COLE 'EIGHT' PURCHASED from the California Motor Sales Company. Mrs. Leibing is very enthusiastic in her praises for this car's comfortable, roomy qualities and its dependable operating system, all of which are necessary to the modern woman motorist.



THE KISSEL 4-PASSENGER TOURSTER, ONE OF THE KISSEL CUSTOM BUILT SIX models equipped with adjustable front seats, has proven the necessity of such an innovation on equipment.

# DEALER TO LOSE ON WHISKY AUTO

Automobile dealers will be gambling \$1,000,000,000 in 1920 against the possibility of automobiles sold on conditional bills of sale and on mortgages being confiscated by the federal government because the persons to whom they were sold carried moonshine liquor in them. The dealers' association represents the interests of 30,000 automobile dealers of the country.

In recent decisions in two United States circuit courts of appeal it was held that if an automobile is seized for carrying liquor on which the federal revenue has not been paid the car is subject to confiscation, even though it has been only partly paid for, according to word received by A. W. Rawling, distributor of Vello cars here, from Vello attorneys in the East. And likewise, the innocent owner will not be permitted to set up his claim for possession of the car because it remained unpaid for.

It is estimated that 2,500,000 automobiles would be sold in 1920. The pre-war unit of sale was \$736. Probably 75 per cent of the automobile retail business is done on time payment. Of this amount probably 25 per cent is paid as an initial installment to obtain possession of the car.

A man may drive out of a dealer's establishment with an automobile upon which he has made the first payment only, and an hour later the vehicle may be confiscated and the dealer's interest taken, too, if the buyer is arrested for having in his possession liquor upon which the tax has not been paid.

It is pointed out that the dealers would have to go to congress and ask for an amendment to the revenue laws similar to that in the Volstead national prohibition bill, so that a mortgagee without knowledge of the wrongful use of his vehicle could reclaim it. Under the Volstead law a car may be confiscated also for transporting any kind of liquor, but if it is liquor upon which the tax has already been paid, and the car is used without the dealer's knowledge or consent, the dealer may reclaim the car.

# Grease on Housing Produces Misfiring

Moisture or grease on the surface of the distributor housing will sometimes cause serious misfiring because the high tension current skips across the surface of this foreign matter instead of going through the regular channels. The obvious remedy is to wipe off the surface. The presence of moisture may be explained by the fact that it may be drawn in with the air flowing through the radiator or may condense on the surface on a damp day. Grease or oil collects on the surface from oil spray thrown out by the engine.

**LOAD DISTRIBUTION**  
The importance of properly distributing the load of a motor truck cannot well be over-estimated. All portions of the truck chassis are designed with the view of carrying the load centered at a certain point on the frame. If the center of the weight of the load is at a different point, then naturally the chassis is not going to receive the properly balanced stress it was designed for, and injury is likely to result. Study the question of load distribution in the individual truck and then see that it is properly carried out.

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# WHISTLES TABOO ON S. F. AUTOS

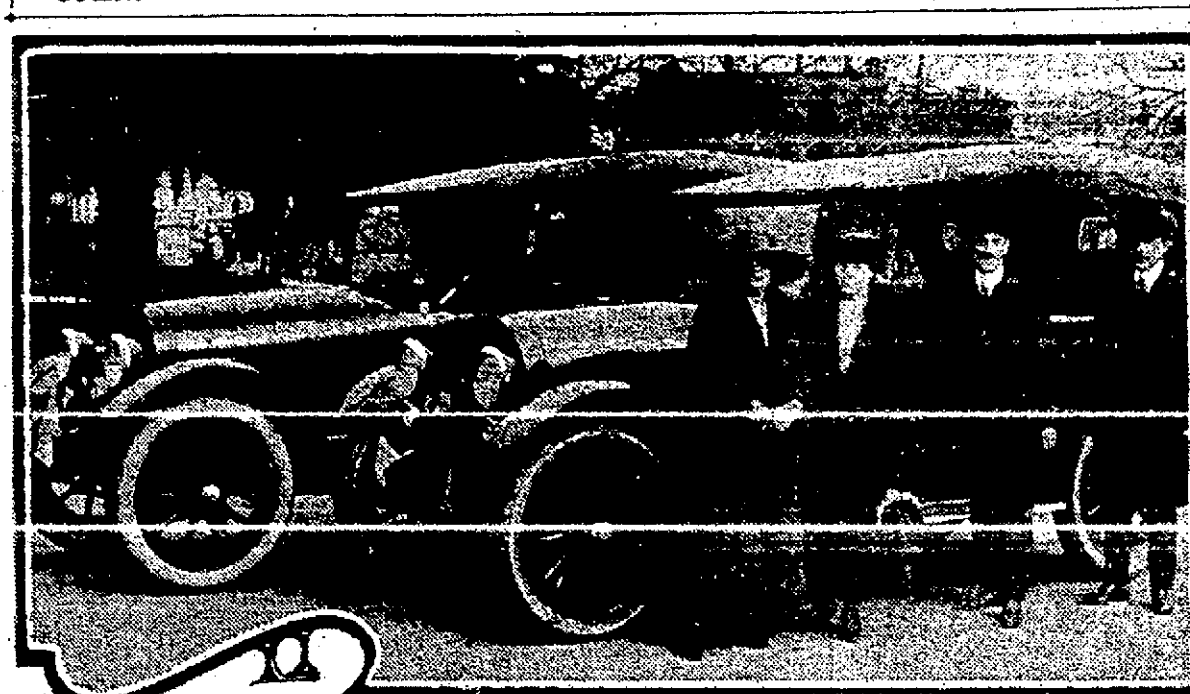
Lieutenant Daniel A. Sylvester, commanding the Traffic Bureau of the San Francisco Police Department, yesterday notified the California State Automobile Association that all drivers of automobiles using whistles in place of horns in San Francisco will be arrested.

The reason for the issue of many complaints from hospitals, schools and private individuals in regard to the noises made by motorists whose machines are equipped with whistles. Lieutenant Sylvester is not requiring motorists to remove whistles but gives warning that they must not be used in San Francisco.

# Geologist to Attend Testing Convention

In response to the request of Director Thomas H. MacDonald, bureau of public roads, Washington, D. C., the California highway commission has delegated its chief geologist, F. T. Madole, to attend the convention of highway testing engineers to be held in Washington D. C., on Feb. 23, 1920, to develop a plan for uniform tests of materials entering into federal aid road work.

THE WELL-KNOWN FIRM OF "GROSSMAN'S" WAS EVIDENTLY FAVORABLY IMPRESSED with the pleasing qualities of the Haynes shown at the recent Auto Show held in the Oakland auditorium, for the two partners, Cohn and Grossman, each purchased similar Haynes models from Phillip S. Cole, Inc. The photo shows purchases and purchasers. From left to right: MRS. H. L. COHN, MRS. AL. GROSSMAN, MR. A. L. GROSSMAN and H. L. COHN.



# TIRE INDUSTRY SHOWS GROWTH

When the tire industry was young and men did not know about rubber and its uses and processes, as they now do, the use of tires was just as limited as the industry, necessarily. The tires lasted a few hundred miles on heavy automobiles, and there was no attempt made to increase tire mileage.

Then, too, tires did not cost as much as they now do. The tire industry has increased in size and the efficiency of tires has increased faster than the automotive industry. In fact, the tire has been ready before the motor car maker was ready with corresponding improvement.

"The United States Rubber Company, one of the largest concerns of its kind in the world, has a corps of experts at work at all times, looking for new ways to make the tires better and more reliable," says T. H. Wilkinson, manager of the San Francisco branch of the United States Rubber Company.

"Any industry that ceases to produce better things, from year to year, soon starts backward. This has been proved by innumerable examples. If the products cease to be made better, some other man soon makes better ones, and gets the business. This is particularly true of the tire business, because of the rapid development of the industry."

"This corps of experts maintained in a modern laboratory by the United States Rubber Company, is composed of the best chemical engineers and scientific men in the country. These men are given every resource that can be secured, and told to go ahead."

"Many of the processes that have been developed in the rubber industry have originated and been discovered in the U. S. laboratories."

"This constant search assures users of tires that they will always have the best, and that that best is being made better every year."

# Tire Branches Placed in Numerous Cities

During 1919, Miller tire branches were instituted in each of the following cities: Albany, N. Y.; Cedar Rapids, Ia.; Charlotte, N. C.; El Paso, Tex.; Erie, Pa.; Great Falls, Mont.; Jacksonville, Fla.; Memphis, Tenn.; Oakland and San Francisco. Since the first of January, 1920, branches have been opened in Cincinnati and Phoenix, Ariz., with twelve other cities in contemplation for Miller branches in the near future.

# NO CAR SURPLUS EAST: RENSTROM

Announcement of the further expansion of one of the largest distribution concerns in the automotive field on the Pacific Coast has just been made, simultaneously with the return to San Francisco of Frank O. Renstrom, president of the company that bears his name.

Heretofore the Frank O. Renstrom Company has been distributor in California and Nevada of Grant and Briscoe passenger cars, Grant trucks, Atterbury trucks and Twin City tractors. Arizona has just been added to the states controlled on these lines by the Renstrom organization.

Assignment of the new territory to the Renstrom company is plainly the reward the manufacturers of the various lines concerned have decided that the distributor is entitled to in recognition of the gratifying results the latter has achieved. Negotiations covering the new territory were completed during the visit in person by Frank O. Renstrom to the various factories, that of the Grant Motor Car Company in Cleveland, the Briscoe at Jackson, Mich., the Atterbury at Buffalo and the Twin City at Minneapolis.

"The trip was one of the most satisfactory and instructive I have ever taken," Mr. Renstrom declared. "I got first hand information about conditions in the trade that will enable us to shape our affairs to meet the new conditions that have arisen."

"One thing I learned was that there are no cars in storage in the East; that dealers have been unable to stock up in anticipation of spring sales and that this means there will be a more pronounced car shortage than in the past."

"The labor situation seems to be improving right along and increased production is not only the ambition of all the factories, but it is the determination of the executives in charge of them to use every means to insure a larger output."

"Cars are not going to drop in price. If anything, they'll go higher. There never was such a demand for cars, trucks and tractors as there is today, and not only are Americans clamoring for everything in automobile lines, it is the world-wide demand that the manufacturers have to cope with now."

Four automobile shows were attended by Mr. Renstrom in the East. These were at New York, first the national exhibitions, Cleveland, Chicago and Minneapolis.

The average length of life of an automobile is six and one-half years.

# BEAUTIFUL AUTO GOES TO FRESNO

The custom built town car shown at the Oakland show by Don Lee was delivered last week to A. Flanders Setchel of Fresno. The new owner of this beautiful Cadillac model used the car here during the Fruit Jobbers' Convention and will drive home this week.

This body was built in the shops of the Don Lee Coach and Body Works and is most distinctive in design. It is an exclusive type and is the only car of this model so far turned out by Don Lee.

The Don Lee custom built bodies are proving an instant success in California. Three sedans were ordered in San Francisco and Oakland last week and orders are booked in Los Angeles for four bodies of special design.

# Highway Board Bars Three-Trailer Plea

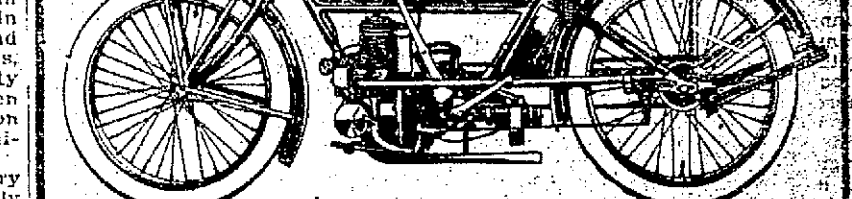
The California Highway commission has denied the application of Alexander Burness, agent for E. H. Guthrie & Co., of Brentwood, Calif., to use four trailer wagons attached to a 40 H. P. Holt caterpillar tractor for hauling sand and gravel on the highway across the high bridge near Brentwood.

The commission's ruling in this matter is based on its opinion that the use of more than two trailers, except in cases of extreme emergency, is contrary to the intent of the law.

**88 PER CENT AUTOISTS.**  
A survey of farms in four counties throughout South Dakota shows that 88 per cent of the automobiles of the people.

# Three Months More Given for Road Work

The California Highway Commission has granted Contractor F. C. McIntire an extension of time from January 20, 1920, to April 1, 1920, for the completion of his contract for 3.6 miles of highway between Divide and Orcutt, in Santa Barbara county.



# Second Carload of 1920 Models CLEVELAND MOTORCYCLES Have Arrived

If you contemplate buying a Cleveland Motorcycle, buy now, as the demand for the 1920 Cleveland has far exceeded the factory output of this year.

**Sold on Easy Terms**

**Weinstock, Nichols Co.**

2306 Broadway, Oakland

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Big--Strong  
Sturdy

BUILT to stay on the job, and it does—electric started and lighted—exclusive patented battery cradle carries battery on solid tires without shock or vibration—three years' successful experience back of this truck. We know you will demand examples of where this truck has made good in service. Let us show you.

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# Big Special Automobile Sale Used Car Dept.

February clean-up on all cars taken in on new models. About 40 cars all rebuilt and in the best mechanical condition, at prices to conform to your purse. These cars to be sold and backed up with the usual Paige Motor Co.'s reliable guarantee. Now is the time to buy if you are in the market for a good car for little money. We will leave it to your judgment as to the values we are offering at this big clean-up. DON'T MISS IT. Open all day and Sunday. Included in the list of cars are the following makes on sale:

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Hupmobiles --- Buicks --- Studebakers ---  
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CARS FROM \$300 UP TO \$1800—REBUILT

About 40 Cars to Select from

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Used Car Department

All of these cars are late models and many of them bright, new paint jobs; some equipped with new tires all around. Each and every car tagged with the selling price in plain figures. You can also trade in your old car. Don't fail to look us up if you are going to buy a car. We have most anything you want, both in roadsters and touring type.

Every Car Marked at a Big Reduced Price for Quick Selling

Paige Motor Co., 3000 Broadway. Phone Lakeside 4791. Paige Motor Co., 3000 Broadway

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Men with long legs, men with short legs, fat men, and many women--

find the driver's seat of most automobiles very uncomfortable, either because it is too near the steering wheel and control pedals, or because it is too far away from same.

The Adjustable Front Seats of  
**KISSEL**  
Custom Built Six Tourster

make it comfortable for any and everyone to drive. This is only one of the many attractive features of this beautiful car.

SEE THE KISSEL BEFORE YOU BUY

WESTERN MOTORS CO.

2265 Broadway, Oakland



### New Electrical Firm Opens for Business

years with the American Bosch Magneto Corporation in San Francisco. He has opened in business with George H. Soeth, who has spent a number of years in the electrical business.

Vermorel is a specialist in specializing on remodeling and installing starting and ignition systems of all types. Arrangements have been made for some new equipment at their plant, 2023 San Pablo avenue.

The highway weather service, one of the new enterprises of the United States department of agriculture, is being ordered through the organization of the weather bureau throughout the country, has proved of great benefit to motor drivers.

***Men Who Appreciate Superlative Values Prefer The Brunswick***

Then good times will have a new meaning to you.

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# DEVELOPMENT PAGE

## DEMAND FOR HOMES STILL ON INCREASE

Annual Dinner and Sales Conference of the W. H. Leimert Co. Brings Out Some Interesting Facts

Prospects for the Future Are Discussed by Experts and a Boom is Seen in Oakland for Business, Residences

Predictions of even a more acute shortage of homes during the coming year, even higher prices for building materials and no prospect of any reduction in building costs for a long time to come, together with every prospect for the greatest real estate boom that Oakland has ever witnessed, were the outstanding features of the talks at a sales conference and dinner to the members by the Walter H. Leimert company at the Hotel Oakland on Tuesday evening.

Edward B. Field, sales manager of the Walter H. Leimert Company, announced the total sales for January in Lakeshore Highlands at \$1,000,000. "This is truly a most remarkable showing for January, always considered the slowest month in the year in the sale of residential property, and a total that breaks all records in the Eastbay district as far as I am able to find out."

Fred N. Strang, in charge of the building being done in Lakeshore Highlands by the Leimert Company, declared that the shortage of building materials was becoming greater "the time." He quoted prices for building costs and said that builders who were not protected by having their building contracts drawn up by lawyers would be unable to secure any as soon as the winter had passed and building started in earnest cities. He said that during the summer months the eastern market would absorb everything that could be manufactured in this country.

From the time that the lumber company starts cutting down trees in the forest until the house is finished, there is no possibility of wages coming down or several years for any appreciable amount and until they do there is no possibility of reduction in the cost of building. With every one willing to pay premiums for quick delivery of building materials prices are bound to stay up.

It is only when the company has been able to hold down the cost of the completed home, stated Walter H. Leimert, in addressing the members present, that he can reduce the cost on houses being built in Lakeshore Highlands itself, rather than subcontracting, by the wholesale buying of materials and by the fact that there is no change on the homes. Where we building contractors we house the cost of doing business, but all the expense is carried by the real estate company. It costs the company no more to sell a building site with a house on it than without. The savings made through the home is a mere 10 percent. To sell homes of the finest kind of construction at prices far less than any one else possibly can.

OAKLAND'S BOOM. Oakland is beginning to feel the start of the greatest boom in its history. The coming of the millions of dollars worth of new industries, the increasing shipping activity, the favorable location of the naval base at Alameda—all these things are going to increase real estate values through the demand for property that is going to make big profits for those who buy now. It will not be long before it will be impossible to secure desirable close-in residential property without paying a handsome margin of profit to the owner.

Atlee F. Hunt, advertising manager for the Walter H. Leimert Company, spoke on the "Co-ordination of Advertising and Selling." He said: "Advertising is a wonderful force in the reduction of selling expense. Consider the expense of maintaining a sales force sufficiently large to make persons call on the agents of the Eastbay district and lay before them the advantages of any proposition. And yet to do so that would often be necessary if no advertising was done. An advertiser, setting forth convincingly what you have to sell, calls to the attention of those who may be interested in your proposition and automatically sets aside those not interested. It has been the experience of every advertiser that does intelligent advertising that the overhead cost per sale is reduced to a very large degree by advertising."

Frank H. Ayers, secretary of the Leimert Company, gave the salesmen a very comprehensive talk on the drawing up of contracts and other legal matters in connection with the selling of real estate.

SELL WATER COMPANY. The Fresno City Water Company has applied to the Railroad Commission for authority to sell to the Fresno City Water Corporation a water system owned and operated by the company in the city of Fresno and vicinity. Payment for the plant is to be made by the issuance of the company of 250,000 shares of Fresno City Water Corporation stock. According to the petition the demands upon the company for an increase of its facilities are in excess of its financial ability to meet under its present stock and bond arrangements and therefore the sale of the plant to the new corporation is necessary.

## Chris Nelson Co. Opens New Downtown Store



CHRIS NELSON, head of the company that bears his name and which has opened a new downtown store.

From a small paint shop, fourteen years ago, to two flourishing stores today. This is the remarkable growth of the Chris Nelson Company, factory representatives and jobbers in wall paper.

The new downtown store of this company was opened last week at 1418 Jefferson street, and here this firm will represent the York-Card wall papers, exclusively in Alameda county, and will also be exclusive distributors for Berry Brothers' varnishes.

The opening of the Jefferson street store has been made necessary by the press of business and the new lines of merchandise to be represented.

The present store, 2312 East Fourteenth street, will still be maintained and both stores will carry the same stock and supplies.

"Blue Sky" Permits

E. C. Bellows, state corporation commissioner, has issued stock permits to the following Eastbay corporations:

Cost Casegoods Company, Berkeley—To sell 20,000 shares of its capital stock, par value \$1 per share, for the purpose of securing funds with which to erect a new home building in the town of Berkeley. The permit is provided that the company must secure bona fide subscriptions for \$15,000 aggregate par value of its stock on or before July 1, 1929, otherwise the subscription is to be canceled. The sale of the stock is to net the company not less than \$5 per cent.

Glen Hill Farming Company, San Jose—To sell 100 shares of its capital stock, par value \$10, to certain persons for cash. The company was organized for the purpose of entering into a general farming, horticultural and agricultural business.

Palm Land Company, Fresno—To sell 700 shares of its capital stock at par, \$1 per share, to certain persons. The company was organized for the purpose of engaging in farming.

Waverly Vineyard, Inc., Fresno—To sell one share of its capital stock to James Anderson and one share to Roy Pullman, at par, \$100, for cash and to issue 395 shares to S. A. Jones in exchange for certain real property.

Fresno Del Rey Land Company—To sell 500 shares of its capital stock at par, \$10, to certain persons for cash. The company proposes to purchase farming land and vineyards. This permit contains the usual clause safeguarding against a majority of the shares being sold to persons other than those eligible to citizenship. It is one of the so-called "blue sky" permits.

San Jose Farming Company, Ltd.—To sell 12 shares of its capital stock, \$25,000, par value \$1. The funds are to be used to make payment on certain ranch property and for working capital. The sales are to be made to the incorporators of the company. The company proposes to engage in farming.

West Solina Farming Company—To sell 100 shares to certain persons at par, \$10, for cash. The company proposes to engage in farming and for that purpose will purchase shares of land. The permit contains the usual clause safeguarding against a majority of the shares being sold to persons other than those eligible to citizenship. It is one of the so-called "blue sky" permits.

## TEAM WORK MADE BOOM AT MODESTO

H. E. Macauley, Formerly of Oakland, Tells How Prosperity Came to All Parts of Stanislaus Co. by Irrigating

Development of the Water Sources of that Section Made Land Values Jump and Crops Increase in Area

The boom in the Modesto district was described by Hector E. Macauley, formerly of Oakland, but now of Modesto, who spent a portion of the week past in this city. Macauley declares that the present remarkable prosperity of the Modesto section is due to the far-sighted policy pursued by the people of Modesto, in the development of water, and the result of that policy is that remarkably successful experiments are being made with rice cultivation in some parts of Stanislaus county.

"The people of Modesto knew just what they wanted from the very start and to the fact that they worked in harmony toward a definite end is due the present prosperity of that section," said Macauley. "The men who made Modesto knew that they needed water, and they went out to develop irrigation until today the water situation at Modesto is the best in the state. Irrigation has been developed in a more scientific manner and to better effect than in any other part of the state. The result has been almost a boom in Stanislaus county land. The money spent in developing irrigation has come back a hundred fold in both the value of the land and the value of the crops."

"The Modesto district is a great section for team work. Everybody is working for the development of the entire section and the result has been that every part of the section has felt the result of that work and Modesto, the center of the whole, gets its proportion of the prosperity of all."

"Modesto has taken every advantage of its water supply, which is its greatest asset. At first the water was used for ordinary crops, which did well. Then the people began to experiment with specialties, and it is the development of specialties that has caused such a remarkable development of land values. Not only can the regular crops of fruits, grains and vegetables be raised with little or no trouble, but semi-tropical fruits are being grown and rice is being experimented with in some sections."

"The Modesto district can produce anything that can be grown in other parts of the state."

## WILL ENLARGE ITS FACTORY

Pacific Insulation and Refrigeration Company, which has a plant at Walnut Creek, Contra Costa county, in which it is manufacturing and marketing a high-pressure insulation known as "Insulite," has been given permission by Commissioner of Corporations E. C. Bellows to sell 754 shares of its preferred capital stock at \$100, for cash. The proceeds from the sale of this stock are to be used in financing the company.

The permit provides that when used as a means of preferred shares are sold to issue for cash, the company shall issue to H. M. Snyder a certificate or certificates evidencing a like number of common shares, but not exceeding in the aggregate 750. These shares are to be issued to Snyder in exchange for the transfer of the license to manufacture and market the product.

During the year the company has been engaged in a small way in the factory at Walnut Creek. It now proposes to install adequate machinery and equipment to greatly increase its output. The permit given to the company is an amended and supplemental permit.

DEAL IN REAL ESTATE. Euliss-Holcomb, Incorporated, the principal place of business of which is at Fresno, has been permitted by Commissioner of Corporations E. C. Bellows to sell 125 shares of its capital stock at par, \$100 per share. The company is engaged in the real estate and insurance business. It will establish an office in the city of Fresno and it will operate in buying and selling property in the San Joaquin valley.

## FOR THE HOUSE

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## Householder Gets First Consideration



H. G. BUTLER, Power Administrator of the Railroad Commission, who sees no danger to householder in possible shortage of light and power.

"The light and power situation in California this year offers nothing to worry about," declared H. G. Butler, power administrator of the Railroad Commission. "While it is true that the present rate of consumption of energy will deplete the storage supply of water on which the utilities depend for their hydro-electric supply about and the latter part of December, which period will be materially shortened in the event the shipyards resume operations, this is the time of the year when rains may be expected at any time, relieving the strain. At any rate the average householder need not worry. Lighting energy is the preferred load."

Continuing his talk Butler told some interesting things about the California situation from a hydro-electric standpoint. "California," he said, "is fortunate from the fact that it possesses oil fields and a potential supply of hydro-electric energy that is surpassed only by the supply in the state of Washington. This relieves the state of dependence upon coal as a source of power."

There is not a country in Europe that has the potential hydro-electric power of California. This power should be developed to the highest point. The need for this development has been recognized by Congress which has before it a bill which will encourage hydro-electric development. To take care of the normal power needs of California, needs resulting from just a normal growth, something like \$50,000,000 a year must be spent in this state for hydro-electric progress. This development will provide double use for the water that flows in California's mountain streams—the water will generate power and lose none of its usefulness for irrigation.

In the northern part of this state last year 73 per cent of the power used was developed hydro-electrically. In the four years preceding the lowest amount of hydro-electric power used was \$2 per cent. These figures have the effect of showing the rainfall in California on the hydro-electric field."

## JOINS LAW FIRM.

The law firm of McKee & Tashiro, located in the Oakland Bank of Savings building, and one of the oldest law firms in Oakland, has announced the association with them of Matt Wahrhaftig. In the future business will be conducted under the firm name of McKee, Tashiro & Wahrhaftig. Matt Wahrhaftig, a new member of the firm, is a University of California graduate and a member of the Phi Sigma Kappa honor fraternity.

## IRRIGATION PLANS.

George F. Cokeley, who lives in Woodland, has applied to the Railroad Commission for authority to build a dam to impound the waters of Panoche and Silver creeks, in Fresno county. He intends to become a public utility, his plans calling for the sale of water for irrigation purposes. He estimates that the dam will cost \$125,000. Cokeley owns what is known as the Bellmore or Chaney ranch of 5729 acres. Panoche creek flows through this ranch.

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## ADVERTISING COMPANY IN NEW BUILDING

H. K. McCann Company Now Occupies An Entire Structure of Its Own, With All Departments Cosily Housed

Vice-President Atwood Says That Newspaper Advertising is the Great Force Behind Any Big Business

The first advertising building in the West has just been occupied by the H. K. McCann company of San Francisco. The move of this national advertising agency to the McCann building, in the center of the financial district, marks a new step in advertising development on this coast.

Harrison Atwood, vice president of the company who has just returned from a trip throughout the East, says: "Eastern business men realize very keenly that the West is developing factories and products which will give the East strong competition in national markets. The advertising of our food products is making California the best known state in the Union. In a recent edition of a national magazine of large circulation no less than nine full pages of California advertising appeared. This publicity is not only arousing the interest of tourists but it is touching a much more stable class—manufacturers who are seeking new locations where full production may be had the year around. We have found newspaper advertising to be a powerful medium for getting results for our clients. We often find that even modest beginnings in newspapers bring increased business and sometimes expansion to national markets."

The McCann building is equipped with a large studio, where many of the color pages which appear in national magazines are originated. A staff of sixty people is required to handle the work of some twenty clients of this agency. Among them are the California Walnut Growers' association, the California Citrus growers' association and the California Packing corporation, noted for its Del Monte products. In developing and promoting California products the McCann company is playing an active part in building up the industries of this state.

## Optician Moves To New Store

F. Greenbaum, local optician and optometrist, for a number of years located at 518 Thirteenth street, has moved from his old location into more commodious quarters at 1219 Washington street. The new store has been fitted up at great expense and is now one of the best equipped establishments of the kind in Oakland. The move into the new quarters has already taken place.

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## WORK BEGINS UPON GRAIN ELEVATORS

R. P. Durham, Expert Grain Elevator Engineer, Arrives From Chicago to Supervise Construction of Big Plant

Early Completion of the Mill and Elevators of the Great Western Milling Co. on the Tidal Canal is Announced

R. P. Durham, vice president of the MacDonald Engineering company of Chicago, arrived in Oakland during the past week to start work upon the plant of the Great Western Milling company at the head of the tidal canal in East Oakland. The ground has already been surveyed and the locations of the various units of the plant decided upon, and excavation work will begin this week.

The arrival of Durham to supervise the work of construction is of importance because the MacDonald Engineering company is one of the largest builders of grain elevators in the United States, that company having been responsible for some of the biggest plants on the Great Lakes. As the Great Western Mill-

## Gossip of the Eastbay Business World

The Great Western Power company is working night and day on its new electric sub-station at Pullman and Cutting avenue, Richmond. This station will contain nine 600 kilowatt transformers, with a capacity of practically 6000 horsepower, to take care of newly developed business in the vicinity of Giant, San Pablo, Richmond, Stege and Albany. The same company is building a power line direct from this new Pullman station north to Crockett, where grain can be received and where electric is received from the La Plumas plant of the Great Western.

Letson Balliet, consulting engineer, well known up and down the Coast, is making his winter home at the Hotel Oakland.

ing company, is featuring the fact that it is to build the first grain elevator in California on the shore of Oakland harbor, the coming of a grain elevator expert to lay the foundations for such a structure is an indication of early action upon the part of H. E. Woolner and his associates.

The Great Western Milling company feels that the Oakland side of the bay is the proper location for such a plant as they propose. Here grain can be received and be transported into flour and reshipped at a less cost than across the bay, of grain can be received and be transported into flour and reshipped at a less cost, and it is upon this smaller cost of handling that the company selected its location in Oakland.

The new feature is that work is to proceed at once.

## PROSPECTS FOR YEAR ARE BRIGHT

Norman H. Sloane, Formerly of the U. S. Forest Service, Takes Charge of the Cal. Home Industry League

E. H. Brown, Well Known in Promotion Circles, Joins Staff of the Republican National Campaign Body

Norman H. Sloane has assumed the duties of manager of the Home Industry League, succeeding Edward H. Brown, who recently resigned to enter the service of the Republican national committee. Mr. Sloane has been supervisor of the Shasta national forest, with headquarters at Sisson. His activities in the forestry service have been notable in various parts of the state for the past several years. His work in protecting the watersheds and unraveling many knotty problems affecting the public domain has attracted much attention and he enters the service of the league with a splendid record for executive ability. The new manager is a graduate of the Baltimore School of Forestry. His experience covers a wide field of operations.

E. H. Brown, well known in promotion circles, joins the staff of the Republican National Campaign Body.

## \$65,500 January Sales In Lakeshore Highlands

## All Sales Records Smashed by the Walter H. Leimert Company

Ordinarily January is the slowest real estate month of the year. This did not hold good for Lakeshore Highlands.

## There are Many Reasons

for this tremendous record, all of which may be summed up in the statement that Lakeshore Highlands offers exactly what Oakland's "home-hungry" people want in the way of homes and home-sites.

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It is thoroughly developed along modern lines. It is the ONLY permanently restricted residence district in the eastbay cities.

## Building Proceeding at Top Speed

Lakeshore Highlands is the scene of the most tremendous building activity ever witnessed here. Scores of private owners are buying and building in Lakeshore Highlands. The Walter H. Leimert Company is steadily and consistently maintaining its famous program of

## "Every Five Days a Home Starts"

All of these reasons for the popularity of Lakeshore Highlands, combined with the startlingly low prices at which lots and ready-built homes are offered, have resulted in the astonishing January record.

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Especially popular have been the homes built under the Leimert program. The company, buying materials in wholesale quantities, has effected reductions in the cost of homes which have astonished both builders and home-buyers.

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# SPRING GARDEN EDITION-



# USE FLOWER SEEDS TO GET GOOD RESULT

The Best Garden Is That  
Which Is Developed From  
Seed Planted by the Owners  
and Worked by Special Plan

# General Directions for Constructing a Home Garden and Securing the Best Results From Flowers and Plants

flowers than those grown from seed, especially the easily grown and brilliant flowered annuals. The beautiful flowers of these are more expensive than a paper of seeds which will furnish a large number of plants, and are more expensive for one's garden and some to spare.

Aim to have your garden one artistic unit, with some flowers in bloom at the same time, and others which harmonize, and with plants in size grading from the dwarf borders to the bedding annuals, and then to have the flowers of the same color should stand next to the house or other confines of the garden or lawn. A garden carefully thought out and planned will give you more pleasure than a haphazard one.

A perfect garden could not be made from seed alone; the grounds must be well suited for its permanent character.

The success for sowing seeds depends upon three things: The right amount of water, of air, and of heat. The soil is the producer of the soil, so right as to moisture and texture, your seed sown at a proper depth and where the sunshine can furnish the heat. Soil that is hard and dry, and that is baked, is not a place to start seeds in. Take such soil in the fall and spread in manure or leaf mould, and let it rot for several weeks. Then, in the spring, add to it a heavy, that is clayey soil, north or decayed leaf mould and sand (sharp, fresh-water sand), so that there is one-third loam, one-third sand, and one-third leaf mould. This makes an excellent soil for starting fine seeds. For potting add a small amount of old sheep or cow manure.

Seeds of hardy annuals are sown directly in the bed where they are to remain, or they may be sown in boxes and transplanted. Have a good soil, and a little sand mixed with peat or leaf mould. The soil should be well moistened, not wet, and soggy, and not, by any means, dry. The seeds should be sown in medium-sized seeds at a depth of one-quarter to one-half inch. Sweet peas should be deeper. Very fine seeds should be pressed into the soil, and a little sand or very sphagnum moss sifted over them. Water more frequently if the seed

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# WHEN, WHERE AND HOW TO PLANT A HOME GARDEN

*A Guide to Home Gardeners Prepared by the C. C. Morse Co.*

| Variety.                 | Crop Matures (In Month) | Depth to Plant. | "Garden Culture" For Hand Cultivation. |                                   | Quantity of Seed for 100 ft. of Row. | Time of Sowing About San Francisco and Central Calif. |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|--|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
|                          |                         |                 | Put Rows Apart.                        | Leave Plants' Apart in Rows.      |                                      |   |
| Artichoke                | Second spring           | 1 inch.         | 3 ft.                                  | 3 ft.                             | 1 oz. (3 pkts.)                      | September to January.                                 |
| Artichoke (Plants Globe) | Next spring             |                 | 4 ft.                                  | 3 ft.                             | 17 pkts.                             | January to March.                                     |
| Artichoke (Grenada's)    | 4th summer              |                 | 4 ft.                                  | 3 ft.                             | 3 lbs.                               | February to May.                                      |
| Asparagus (Seed)         | Third spring            | 1 inch.         | 1 ft.                                  | 3-5 inches                        | 1 lb.                                | February to April.                                    |
| Asparagus (Plants)       | Next spring             | 3-5 inches      | 1 ft.                                  | 30-24 inches                      | 1 lb.                                | November to March.                                    |
| Beans, Bush              | 10-120 days             | 2 inches.       | 18-24 inches                           | 24 inches                         | about 1 lb.                          | April to August.                                      |
| Beans, Pole              | 15 days up              | 3 inches.       | 3-4 ft. hills                          | 24 inches                         | 8 oz.                                | April 15 to August.                                   |
| Berets                   | 25 days up              | 3 inches.       | 12-18 inches                           | 18 inches                         | 4 oz.                                | All year round.                                       |
| Broad-leaf               | 60-120 days             | 1/2 inch.       | 24-30 inches                           | 18 inches                         | 1/2 oz. (1 pkt.)                     | January to May.                                       |
| Brussels Sprouts         | 6 months                | 1/2 inch.       | 24-30 inches                           | 10-21 inches                      | 1/4 oz.                              | Jan. to March-July to Aug.                            |
| Cabbage                  | 60-120 days             | 1/2 inch.       | 24-34 inches                           | 18 inches                         | 1/2 oz. (2 pkts.)                    | Jan. to March-July to Oct.                            |
| Carrot                   | Early                   | 1/2 inch.       | 12-18 inches                           | 24 inches                         | 1/4 oz.                              | All year round.                                       |
| Cauliflower              | 110 days                | 1/2 inch.       | 24-30 inches                           | 18-20 inches                      | 1/4 oz.                              | June to January.                                      |
| Celery                   | 1st month               | 3 inches.       | 12-18 inches                           | 24 inches                         | 1/2 oz. (2 pkts.)                    | January to June.                                      |
| Cornell                  | Early                   | 3 inches.       | 12-18 inches                           | 6-8 inches                        | 1 oz.                                | February to May.                                      |
| Chicory                  | 1 month                 | 2 inches.       | 18-24 inches                           | 24 inches                         | 1/4 oz. (1 pkt.)                     | January to June.                                      |
| Collards                 | Early                   | 2 inches.       | 12-18 inches                           | 24 inches                         | 1/4 oz. (1 pkt.)                     | All year round.                                       |
| Corn Salad               | 100 days                | 1 inch.         | 12-16 inches                           | 4-6 inches                        | 2 oz.                                | Mar. and Apr.-Sept. to Nov.                           |
| Corn                     | 60-120 days             | 1/2 inch.       | 24-30 inches                           | 18 inches                         | 1/2 oz. (2 pkts.)                    | Apr. 20 to June.                                      |
| Cucumber                 | 120 days                | 2 inches.       | 4-6 ft.                                | 4 ft. hills                       | 1/4 oz. (2 pkts.)                    | April 15 to June 15.                                  |
| Dandelion                | 6 months                | 1/2 inch.       | 12-45 inches                           | 5 inches                          | 1/4 oz. (4 pkts.)                    | May and June.   |
| Egg Plant                | 100 days up             | 1 inch.         | 24-30 inches                           | 24-30 inches                      | 1/4 oz. (1 pkt.)                     | February to April.                                    |
| Fenike                   | 100 days                | 1 inch.         | 18 inches                              | 8-10 inches                       | 1/4 oz.                              | July to October.                                      |
| Horse Radish             | 3 months                | 4 inches.       | 24-30 inches                           | 14 inches                         | 70 roots                             | January to May.                                       |
| Kale                     | 45 days                 | 1/2 inch.       | 15-24 inches                           | 12-24 inches or broadcast in beds | 1/4 oz. (1 pkt.)                     | Jan. to Apr.-July to Oct.                             |
| Kohi Rabi                | 4 months                | 1/2 inch.       | 18 inches                              | 4-6 inches                        | 1/4 oz. (1 pkt.)                     | January to March.                                     |
| Lettuce                  | 6 to 8 weeks up         | 4 inch.         | 12-14 inches                           | 6 inches                          | 1/2 oz. (2 pkts.)                    | All year round.                                       |
| Lyngdonia                | 120-140 days            | 1-2 inches.     | 4 to 6 ft. hills.                      | 4 to 5 ft.                        | 1 oz.                                | May to June.  |
| Watermelon               | 120-140 days            | 1-2 inches.     | 3 ft. hills.                           | 6 ft.                             | 1 oz. (1 pkt.)                       | February to May.                                      |
| Onion                    | Early                   | 3 inch.         | 3 ft.                                  | 20 inches                         | 1/4 oz. (1 pkt.)                     | April 15 to June.                                     |
| Onion                    | 25 months               | 1 inch.         | 3 ft.                                  | 24 inches                         | 1/4 oz.                              | November to March.                                    |
| Onion                    | 120-140 days            | 1-2 inch.       | 12-14 inches                           | 4 inches                          | 1/4 oz. (1 pkt.)                     | All year round.                                       |
| Parsley                  | Any time                | 1/2 inch.       | 12-18 inches                           | 4 inches                          | 1/4 oz. (2 pkts.)                    | March to June.  |
| Pea-soup                 | 1 month                 | 1/2 inch.       | 12-18 inches                           | 4 inches                          | 1 lb.                                | All year round.                                       |
| Peas                     | 8 to 12 weeks           | 2-4 inches.     | 10 and 36 inches                       | 7 inches                          | 1/4 oz. (1 pkt.)                     | February to March.                                    |
| Pennep                   | 100-120 days            | 1 inch.         | 12-18 inches                           | 14 inches                         | 1/4 oz. (1 pkt.)                     | January to May.                                       |
| Potato, Irish            | July to September       | 4-8 inches      | 20 inches                              | 13 inch hills                     | 73 slips                             |   |
| Potato, Sweet            | 100-120 days            | 3 inches        | 30 inches                              | 14 inches                         | 1/2 oz. (2 pkts.)                    | May to June.  |
| Pumpkin                  | 100-120 days            | 8 ft. hills     | 8 ft. hills                            | 8 ft. hills                       | 1/4 oz.                              | All year round.                                       |
| Radish                   | 20-45 days              | 1/2 inch.       | 12-18 inches                           | 1 or 1 1/2 inches.                | 1/2 oz.                              | February to Mar.                                      |
| Rhubarb                  | Second spring           | 1/2 inch.       | 12 in. seed bed.                       | 4 or 12 inches                    | 2 plants                             | January in April.                                     |
| Rhubarb, Root            | Next spring             | 1/2 inch.       | 4 ft.                                  | 4 ft.                             | 1 plant                              | February to April.                                    |
| Salsify                  | 3 months                | 1 inch.         | 12-13 inches                           | 3-4 inches                        | 1 oz.                                | All year round.                                       |
| Spinach                  | 40 to 45 days           | 1 inch.         | 12-18 inches                           | 4 inches                          | 1/2 oz. (2 pkts.)                    | May to June.  |
| Spinach                  | 8 to 10 and 100 days    | 1 to 2 inches.  | 4 to 6 ft. hills                       | 4 to 6 ft. hills                  | 1/4 oz. (1 pkt.)                     | May to June.  |
| Tomat                    | 130 days                | 1 1/2 inch.     | 5-6 ft.                                | 5 to 6 ft.                        | 1/2 oz. (2 pkts.)                    | February to May.                                      |
| Turnip                   | 60-75 days              | 1/2 inch.       | 12-18 inches                           | 5 to 8 inches                     | 1/2 oz.                              | August to April.                                      |

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## Good Advice Is Given on Plants and Garden Work

Don't cultivate or work in the garden when the ground is wet or sticky.

Cultivate or hoe between the rows often. This keeps the weeds down and makes fine vegetables. A garden cultivator will save time. Square up the small beds and keep the paths smooth and clean. This will make your garden neat and attractive.

Keep your hoe and other tools clean and bright. A successful gardener has a sharp hoe and a bright spade. A border of flowers will help.

Water in the evening, always. A good soaking occasionally is better than a light sprinkling every day. Water that has stood in a tub or barrel all day is much better for the plants than the cold mountain water from the hose.

The slogan phrase has an additional meaning. The fragrance, the warmth and beauty of fresh blossoms and green can express, in a way that words cannot, the thought and feeling that the sender desires to convey.

# COVER OLD WALLS WITH GOOD VINES

There are quite a number of people who desire to make their homes beautiful and who would like to cover up bare walls or fences, and who wish to have this done quickly. The following plants will soon answer the purpose and clothe the house in green.

er, and is easily raised from seed sown in the fall or this month. So in a flower pot or box and keep inside until it germinates and makes progress enough to plant by the side of your wall, fence or arway. This will make considerable growth throughout the summer, and although it may not be as striking in winter it will make active growth again the following year.

*Ipomoea* or *Convolvulus*, among which are the morning glories, are to be had in a variety of colors and should be sown where they are to remain early in the year as they do not transplant well. When the

## Keep That Garden Going

If you started a home garden last season, how about making it a permanent food producer?

Asparagus is known to have a continuous service for more than three years, and asparagus is one of the first of the spring vegetables. A row of blackberries along a garden fence has produced abundant crops for twelve successive years. A few hills of rhubarb have provided delicious sauce and helped with the making of pies season after season, with very little cost or attention. Strawberries require more care, but they furnish the first ripe fruit in the spring-time, and a very small plot of ground in one corner of the garden will supply the family.

Put into a home garden a little money, knowledge gained from competent advice and your spare time. Draw from it an insight into the workings of nature, healthful exercise and a reduction in your food bills. A home garden is a good thing to keep going year after year.

are about six inches high they should be trained to a wire or string netting near the place it is desired to cover. Such varieties as Heavenly Blue, Coccinea, Pearl, Rona No and Scroza are the best that grow

# THE DAHLIA IS GARDEN FAVORITE

**Expert Advice Upon the Planting and Care of This Tubercle That Has Become So Popular With Amateur Gardeners**

## How and Why Care Is Necessary in Handling and Planting This Peculiar Root, and How to Get Best Results

By Leslie F. Doolittle

The Dahlia tuber, in the condition in which it reaches the customer, needs neither a severe soaking in water nor a strong stimulant in the soil. In sowing, in planting, these two elements have to be done overtime in the planting of Dahlias with often otherwise than the best results. Speaking from experience and the knowledge of the results in the different soils, the advice to the Dahlia grower is the same rule as that which I follow. Too much early watering will, if the tuber suffers the drowning process, create a weak plant that will grow in the soil which will cause woody growth, the plant growing tall and the blooms more or less inferior and being an unnatural growth, therefore, the tuber should be planted in a be of mammoth size with a large crown, which will be found to decay readily and without apparent cause.

Manure coming in contact with the base scab, weaker the tuber and often kills it.

Plant, therefore, in well worked soil two and one-half to three feet apart at a depth of five or six inches and water as you are fermenting the vegetation and manure together. Give them just enough water, where above ground, to keep them growing slowly. Apply manures and water in this way, only after the plant starts to bud, and the manure should have saved the forcing quality to the blooms instead of its being expended upon the stalk growth.

Up to the time the plant comes into bud it is greatly benefited by trimming off the older foliage with a sharp knife, being careful not to cut the young leaves. This stimulates growth, my idea being that it is especially necessary in order to have good blooms, that the foliage be kept trimmed through the pores of the plant that the oxygen absorbed, in working with a sharp force of water from the garden hose, the plant can ordinarily be kept in bud. This should be done at close intervals in accord with weather conditions.

Where chicken manure can be obtained, it is the best fertilizer. Chicken manure is excellent. Feed the plant only after the cyc. 60 sprout has formed root feeders. It being remembered that the dormancy

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# USE FLOWER SEED TO GET GOOD RESULT

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is close to the surface and if necessary protect with cheese-cloth while watering. Always press or firm the soil after sowing any seed. These seeds are best sown in the open, so as not to be transplanted. Eschscholzia, nasturtium, poppy, etc., very many others, may be profitably sown. If the seed be sown directly in the garden it should be covered in the spring after the soil is well worked and when in moist condition. A slight depression should be made with a stick, the seed sown and then covered with sandy loam about twice the depth of the diam-

## World Crops From California Seed

The world's food supply for next year will largely come from crops grown from California seeds. Today California is the greatest producer of flower and vegetable seeds in the world. The middle Western states exceed it in production of seed wheat and seed corn but this state is in a class by itself when it comes to the production of vegetable seeds. Prior to the war a large amount of seed such as cabbage and other hardier varieties was imported from Scandinavia and Holland. The war cut off that supply and California is making it up. Foreign governments have been heavy buyers this year of California seed.

eter of the seed. The sand will prevent the crusting over of the soil after watering.

PARIS, Feb. 7.—It has been discovered that ten tons of beans at Marseilles, part of the government's order for food supplies from the Far East, were preserved in prussic acid.

A small part of the shipment has been sold for public consumption. The situation, however, was discovered before any fatalities occurred.

# FRUIT CAN BE RAISED IN A YARD

By R. D. MALLESDEN

Fruit growing for the man with a city lot, or the man with a small ranch, is the surest way to defeat the profiteer and to combat the high cost of living. Produce all that you can.

In the bay office of San Francisco, Oakland, Berkeley, and Alameda, there are thousands of acres in the back yards of property owners that produce nothing. Yet we complain of the high cost of fruit.

Take every back yard a few fruit trees and berries can be profitably grown. If carefully selected and properly cared for they would in a short time yield carloads of delicious fruit.

The following varieties can be successfully grown around the bay cities and counties: Apples, peaches, cherries, plums and apricots.

Plant the apples and plums in the heavier, darker soil, and the peaches, cherries and apricots in the lighter soil. By using a little care when making your selection you can have a succession of fruit crops.

In the line of apples the Yellow Transparent, which is a delicious early sort, and the Winter Banana, which is a fall apple here, do especially well in the bay.

In peaches, for a succession of crops, the following are among the best: Mayflower, Carman, Elberta or Early Crawford, Fitzgerald and Wonderful. They ripen in the order named and will supply you with peaches from June until late in October.

In cherries, the following are suited to this locality: Royal Ann, Governor Wood, Bing and Lambert.

In plums, almost any variety can be grown successfully. Among the best are the Black, Black, Reine, Claude, Satsuma and Columbia.

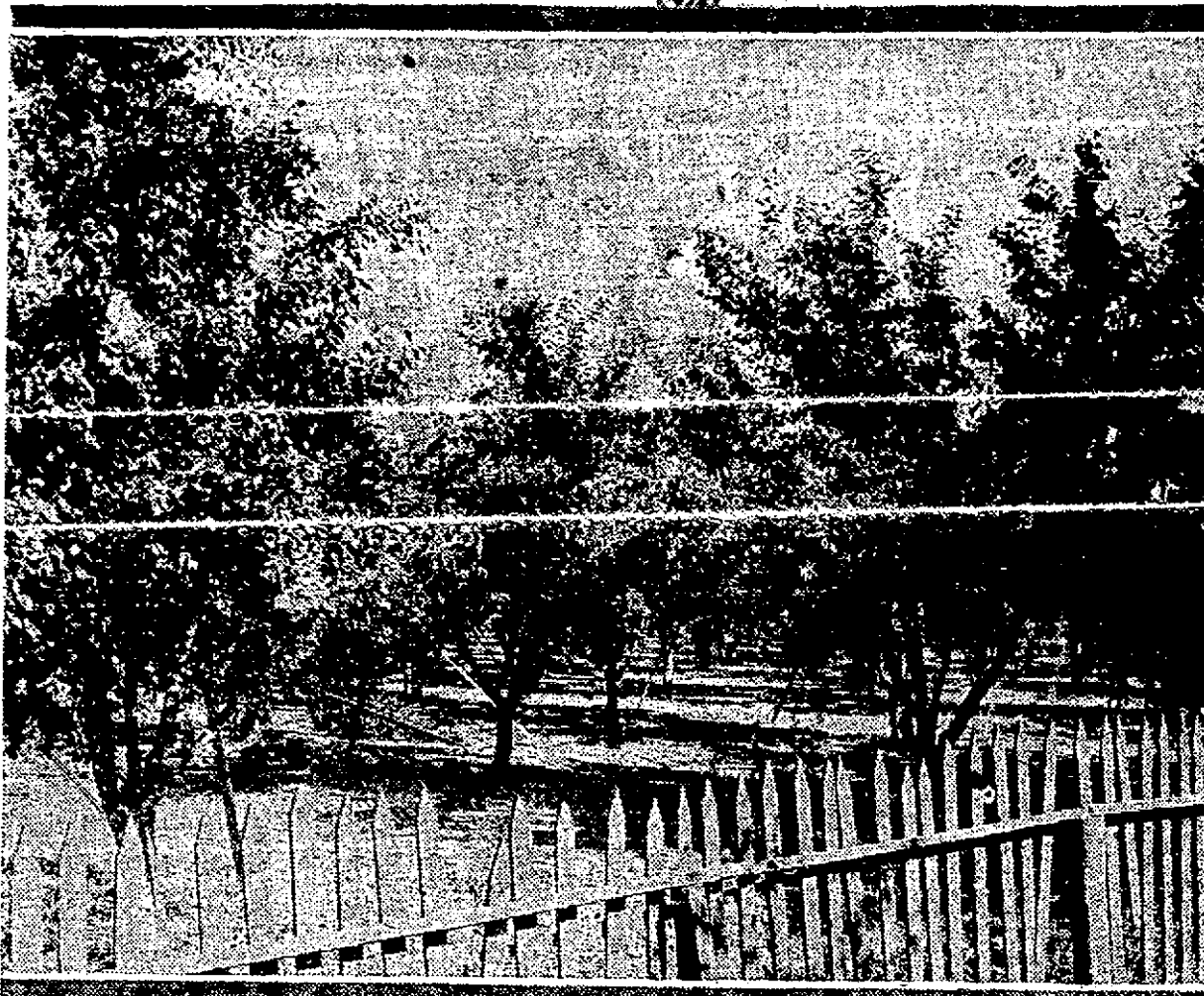
In apricots, the Royal, Blenheim and Moorpark are among the best. The latter does not bear as regularly as the others.

After you have selected your trees great care should be taken to have the soil well pulverized before planting. Frequent and thorough cultivation should be given throughout the season. Do not allow any weeds or grass to grow around your trees.

During the months of June, July, August and September the trees will be greatly benefited by a thorough watering around the roots. In irrigating, first stir the soil around the roots for a space of four feet. Then apply the water until the ground is wet down at least two feet. Next day after watering cover the wet soil with a light layer of dry earth.

When the young trees are planted they should be cut back to a height of about three feet. Make the cut just above and close to a bud, then the wound will heal quickly. The

This prune ranch located in Santa Clara valley produced a better and heavier crop in the year 1919 after being fertilized with nitrate of soda than in any of the previous years of its existence.



following winter after planting the trees should be pruned. November and December are good months in which to prune. When pruning the first winter select three or four of the most thrifty branches. Have them evenly distributed around the tree as far as possible. Thin out the small center branches, but do not cut back the main leaders. In fact, the main branches (not to exceed four) should never be cut back.

Every year in December give the trees a thorough spraying with lime and sulphur solution. (One to eleven.)

The principal insect pests that you will have to contend with are the following: On the apple, codling moth and aphid; on the peach and apricot, curly leaf and sometimes scale; on the plum and cherry, thrip and sometimes scale.

If you do not understand just how to get rid of these pests do not fail to consult your county horticultural commissioner. These men are selected for their important office because of their thorough knowledge of horticulture. Their advice is free for the asking. When they give advice they have no axe to grind and no selfish motives. They are always glad to advise you in any way that they can. Pay careful attention to their instruction. It is of great value to you.

RECORD WHEAT CROP. TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 5.—The total 1919 wheat crop produced by Kansas was 145,795,455 bushels of wheat.

Spring wheat. It was from almost 12,000,000 acres, according to the small grain report issued by J. C. Mohler, secretary of the State Board of Agriculture.

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Nitrate of soda in its commercial form is 95 per cent pure and contains about 15 per cent of nitrogen. It is about as pure as ammonia. There is now being exported from Chile about 3,000,000 tons of nitrate of soda annually, and it is estimated that at this present rate of export the supply will not be exhausted for 300 years or longer.

This product is universal in its use and there is no crop grown which is not greatly improved and increased in its yield by its application. For market gardening and small fruits from 100 to 500 pounds to the acre should be applied by broadcasting and harrowing in between the rows just before or after irrigation or rain. Care should be used in applying it to small plants or flowers, a very little will go a long way. It should not come in too close contact with the plant and water should be used freely.

For grape vines apply 200 pounds to the acre. For fruit trees apply in December, January, February or March at the rate of 40 pounds to the acre for trees twelve years or over, and 200 pounds to the acre for trees under twelve years old. For hay or grain land it should be broadcasted at the rate of 100 to 200 pounds to the acre just before or after rain.

Nitrate as a spray has proven very satisfactory. It should be used one pound to the gallon with lime-sulphur or caustic soda, lime-sulphur being added to the spray.

For instance, to a 200-gallon tank of lime-sulphur spray, add 200 pounds of nitrate of soda and use in February or the first of March when trees are dormant. This spray has been proven to give good results when applied properly. Usually after the first year's application the growth will increase in crop, but after the second year's application the increase in crop will be realized, and after the third year's application production of heavy crops will be continuous.

# BACK YARD GARDENS ARE PROFITABLE

By FRED SEULBERGER, Horticultural Commissioner of Alameda County.

The backyard gardener must use the soil he has, but he can improve it if it is poor, and he must do this as far as possible. Stable manure will help even the richest soil, and you are not likely to use too much of it. During a single season professional gardeners apply as much as six inches of it. From 400 to 600 pounds can be used to advantage on a plot 20 by 30 feet. Coarse manure should be applied and thoroughly plowed or spaded under in the fall. In the spring, fine, rotted manure is applied, just before plowing or spading preceding the planting of any crop. If the ground is fairly rich and well rotted manure is scarce, the manure may be scattered in the row only, and should be mixed into the soil before the planting of seed.

Loam is the best garden soil.

Sand, with manure gives good results. Clay is hardest work, but is greatly improved by well rotted manure and vegetable matter—called humus. These should be well worked in with the sand and silt. Sifted cow ashes, entirely free from clinkers, will help loosen up clay when mixed into it, but will not remove an acid condition nor increase fertility. Many gardeners experience difficulty in obtaining supplies of well rotted manure. In such cases commercial fertilizers should be used. Even where stable manure has been secured and worked into the soil it is well to supplement with moderate quantities of quick-acting fertilizer in order to give plants an early start and hasten maturity.

LUMBER CUT HEAVY.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Feb. 7.—The lumber cut in the Province of New Brunswick this season is expected to constitute a record. Reports received from forty-two forest rangers estimate the total will reach 325,000,000 feet. From November 15 to December 15 more than 100,000,000 feet of lumber was cut on crown lands alone. This is the heaviest cut ever recorded for one month.

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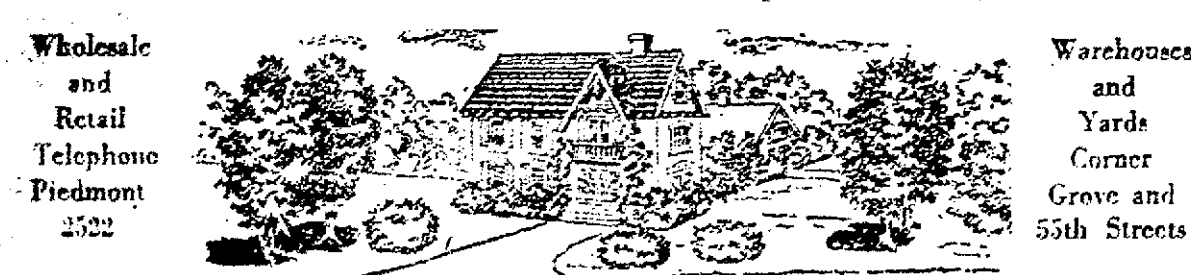
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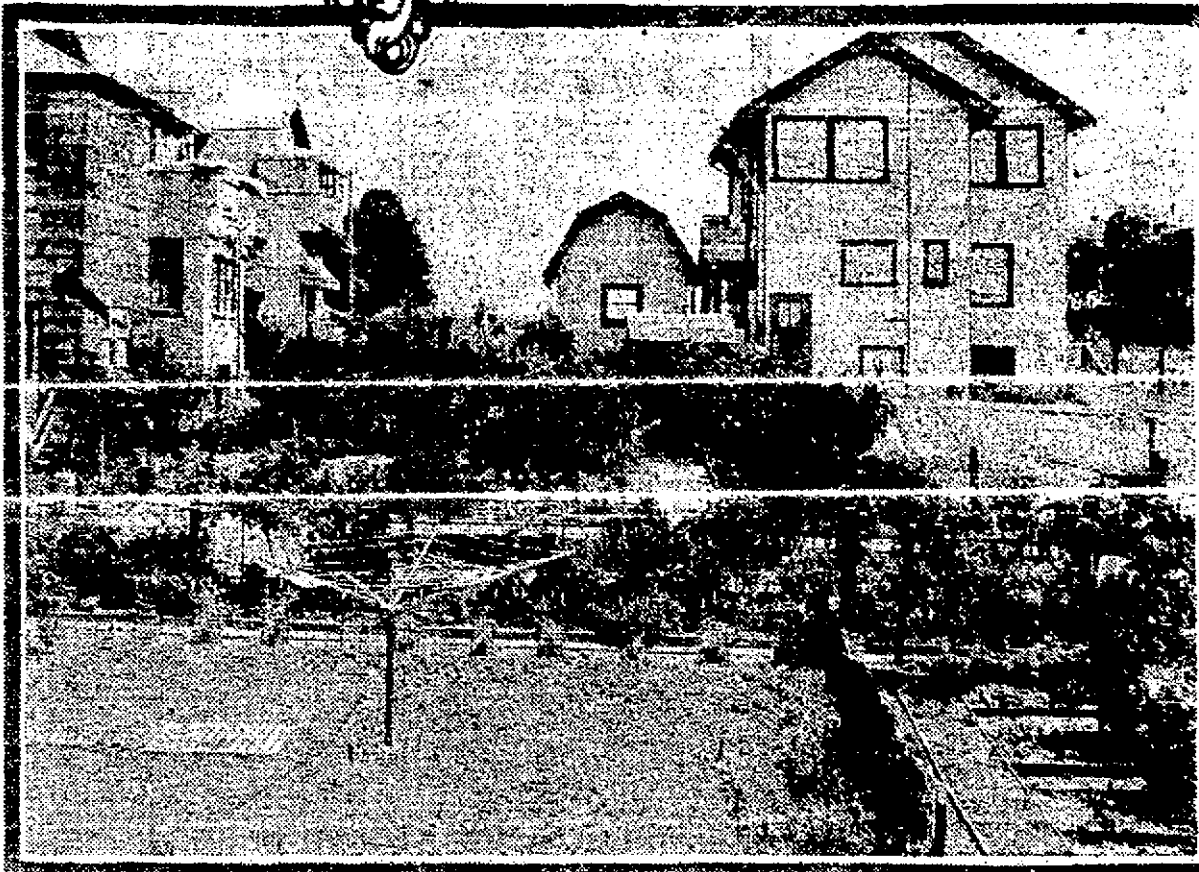
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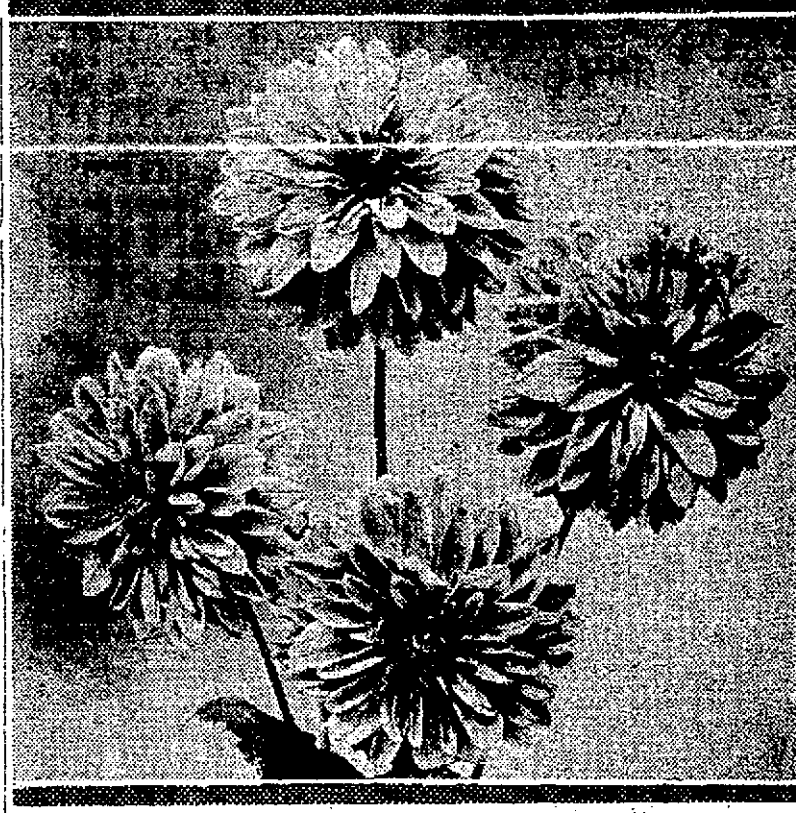
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tuber acts as a feeder only to the new sprout, and could not possibly absorb liquid to its advantage. Be careful not to use too great a percentage of nitrate of soda, as it will retard your blooms and make the stems very long, but weak. Phosphates are what are needed to produce good blooms, potash for wood growth and nitrates for a healthy foliage. I caution against using too much fertilizer, but recommend working the soil a great deal.

Do not allow the blooms to seed, but cut all the old blooms, together with as much stem as possible. If allowed to seed the variety will fast deteriorate.

### USE OF FERTILIZER

I wish to give another rule, also, as regards the fertilizer to be used. This past season I hit upon the idea of working back to the soil that which has been taken out, so after saving all of my trimmings from the dahlia plants, including old blooms, waste tubers, etc., from my previous season, I made a large compost pile of them, together with oak leaf mold and soil, and at planting time dug holes eighteen inches deep and about the same in diameter, and also put in two good shovelfuls of my compost mixed with more straight soil until the hole was filled within about eight inches of the surface of the garden bed, then a bit more straight soil to a depth of from four to six inches. The results which were attained were quite the best yet, and not one bit of manure of any sort was used during the entire season. I used no manure in this case, as the plant came into bloom, as it was my desire not to force tubers. Had I forced the root system as the plants began to form buds I would, of course, have had even larger blooms than I did have. A bit of chicken or sheep manure worked into the soil lightly about eighteen inches from the base of the plant would have been the proper method of forcing for larger blooms, but to force the plant too much means to do so at the expense of the tuber. It is well to be a bit discreet about the amount of forcing given. In



The Dr. Tevis Dahlia grown by Frank D. Pelicano. At the dahlia shows the Dr. Tevis is always the recipient of much praise and favorable comment, due to its beauty of color and form.

using the dahlia plant compost you the "crown." It is here that the new eyes or shoots appear.

The "mother" tuber should be destroyed at time of separating, as it is apt to decay another season, after being planted the second time. It will also be found that this old tuber does not multiply to any great extent, as the food values it contained have been absorbed by the newer growth.

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After separating, the tubers should appear with all decay removed and broken ends carefully trimmed. Now place the tubers in an open airy situation for a few hours in order to dry, then pack away in sawdust or shavings until planting out time. Labels with name of the variety being handled should be constantly used in this work to avoid getting the stock mixed.

TRY, TRY AGAIN

In case the tubers shiver too greatly it is a sign that they have not been handled according to directions, but do not become disgusted or discouraged, but try again, as there is no mystery connected with dahlia culture. I have found that there is only a little knack about it after a person has good stock to work with. It is essential that the grower from whom you buy your stock does not allow it to go to seed at random in the fall. At this time the frosts appear, driving the sap downward toward the new tubers and apparently taking minutes particles of coloring matter with it to the new growth. When pollen has been carried from other and stronger colored varieties and the plant is allowed to seed in the fall deterioration may be expected. Light colored blooms will often come blotched or streaked with the offending color, and again the weaker plant will throw blooms that are distorted, misshapen and otherwise deteriorated.

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After separating, the tubers should appear with all decay removed and broken ends carefully trimmed. Now place the tubers in an open airy situation for a few hours in order to dry, then pack away in sawdust or shavings until planting out time. Labels with name of the variety being handled should be constantly used in this work to avoid getting the stock mixed.

TRY, TRY AGAIN

In case the tubers shiver too greatly it is a sign that they have not been handled according to directions, but do not become disgusted or discouraged, but try again, as there is no mystery connected with dahlia culture. I have found that there is only a little knack about it after a person has good stock to work with. It is essential that the grower from whom you buy your stock does not allow it to go to seed at random in the fall. At this time the frosts appear, driving the sap downward toward the new tubers and apparently taking minutes particles of coloring matter with it to the new growth. When pollen has been carried from other and stronger colored varieties and the plant is allowed to seed in the fall deterioration may be expected. Light colored blooms will often come blotched or streaked with the offending color, and again the weaker plant will throw blooms that are distorted, misshapen and otherwise deteriorated.

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My wife, Helen, leaving for  
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for the screen, this company will  
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WRITE a song; love, mother, home,  
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I compose music and guarantee  
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name and paying for ad. Oak 7224.

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1311 Grove st. or call Lakeside  
4911.

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12th st.; liberal reward. Pled. 2963.

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Reward.

FOUR keys and whistle on ring lost.  
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See Mr. Hendeker at Arthur Ham-  
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Santa Clara factory; apply Pacific  
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commission. See MR.  
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HEAD cook for Colonial Cafeteria,  
122 12th, Oakland. This is a  
good position and splendid oppor-  
tunity for right man.

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Machinist and metal trades work-  
ers to repair for foreign  
machines still exist in all the shops  
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MEN—Age under 35; experience un-  
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MAN, mechanically inclined; help re-  
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Write J. Connor, former gov't detec-  
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Wages \$6.88 for 8 hours—44 hour  
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or market today; salesmen making  
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WANTED—Experienced vulcanizer to  
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WANTED—Names ambitious men  
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Workers, phone Oakland 2518; Mrs.  
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WANTED—An office boy; must be  
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Mr. John Breunert, 10th and  
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WANTED—Salesmen for tea and cof-  
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WANTED—A live wire salesman for  
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MIDDLE-AGED lady capable to as-  
sist with infants and general house-  
work; good home; German prof.  
211 San Pablo, Oakland.

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New home, 3 bedrooms,  
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7 rooms and sleeping  
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only \$5000. Terms: Call  
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Sacred Good 8-room and  
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(See ad under houses)

**SEE THIS**—6 r. cottage  
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vale av.; lot 75x13x13;  
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of soil and neighbor  
\$1000 down, bal \$25 pe  
will sell 40x12x15, with  
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sunny 10 r. well built  
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lot 40x12x12; nr. schools.  
beach; would take lot  
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**SUNNY** corner home in 4  
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I MUST HAVE \$1800 at  
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No time to lose. See me  
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**rooms, close to Hud-**  
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**5 rms and breakfast**  
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**6-room 2-story charm-**  
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**Two class A 5-roomer**  
**located on the north s-**  
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**Call for details. This**  
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Save and  
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**HIGH BREAK DISCOUNTS**  
of \$865—Cement exterior  
of 6 rooms beautiful  
like new; the only mod-  
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**TECH HIGH BUN**  
Fine cement hungalow  
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three blocks from Tech  
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\$100, must be sold at once  
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 Six-room modern cen  
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**WILL IT PAY**  
TO SEE  
**BROADMOO**  
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**QUARTER-ACRE**  
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**YOU'LL SAY**  
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**WEST OAKLAND—5.40 m**

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Oakland 659 E. 4-734. detached bath, por-  
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WANT loan \$10,000 on ~~long~~

MODERN house to sell or exchange  
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RE. estate exchanges made prompt-  
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We build on your lot. We furnish money. Phone, we call. Calif. Builders Co., 1534 Franklin st. Lake. 2428.

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Flats close to this corner offered for your bungalow or house. Building in perfect condition. Fine lot. This property has a big future. Price \$1500. R. & N. ELDER. 414 15th st. Oak. 1617

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T.M. house nr. College Ave. have \$2600 equity in 4th Av. His bungalow 1st payment. Mer. 522

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 Cor. 13th and Webster st. Oakland  
**COMPLETELY** furnished - 3-room  
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 Owner, phone Merritt 1725  
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100—12-Roomy hotel in Wash-  
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Names withheld by request.

**Sale Monday, Feb. 9, 1920, 11 a. m.**  
Auction Room, 564-68 18th Street, Near Corner San Pablo Ave.  
The furnishings of these select homes consist of elegant odd pieces.

Urbish Rocker in Genuine Leather, Mahogany Parlor Settee, Studio Chair, Craftsmen Mission Frame Leather Cushion Couches, Armors and Benches to match; Buffalo Daycouch, Genuine Overstuffed Leather Rockers and Chairs to match, also Tapestry Chairs and Rockers, China Closets, Bookcases, Hat Racks, Two Phonographs, One Piano, 1000 Pictures, Oil Paintings, Draperies, Dining-Room Sets in Fumed Oak, Walnut, Maple, Brass Bedsteads, Bed Room Suite in Gold Plated English Style, "Chair" and "Sofa" in Gold Plated English style, Dresser and Chiffonier: Mahogany Parlor Bedroom Suite in Gold Plated and new as new; Mattresses, Bath, Towels, Towels, Suits, etc.

**NOTE:** 3 p. m. we will sell a large quantity of Rugs, all of choice  
Rugs and Carpets. Very choice. These offerings are worthy of your  
attention.

All must be sold; no reserve or limit.

**Hermann Furniture and Auction Co.**

**AUCTION! AUCTION!**

**2553 SAN PABLO AVE. OAKLAND**  
**TUESDAY, FEB. 10TH, 10 A. M.**  
 Forty rooms of household goods from several prominent homes.  
 Beautiful living-room furniture, period and Stickley.  
 Beautiful dining-room furniture: one inlaid dining set, 100-piece  
 er set, set of 12, 12-piece, 12-piece, 12-piece, 12-piece, 12-piece,  
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 Eight-piece Circeanian Walnut Bedroom Set, with cane inserts.  
 Sew. Singer Drop Head Sewing Machine.  
 Lot of odd dressers, chiffoniers, beds and springs; lot of good  
 curtains, portiers, drapes. Lot of aluminum ware, kitchen dishes, Em  
 breakfast tables, fine Hoosier kitchen cabinet, kitchen chair, lot of  
 chairs and rockers.

Anyone needing good furniture will be well repaid by attending this  
**PHIL RACINE, Auctioneer, 2535 San Pablo Ave., Oakland.**  
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**AUCTION SALE**

Handy store, bakery goods, light delicatessen, 3 living rooms; loc. near main business section; pr. \$475 for speedy sale. Call 408 1201 st. room 202, Oakland.

Soft drinks, candy, ice cream. Magnus root beer barrel, notions and groceries; near two schools. Three living rooms. Have taken in a high

We have received instruction to sell a fine stock of groceries and delicatessen at public auction. Sale at the City Hall, 11th St. and Broadway, Tuesday, Feb. 10, at 10:30 a.m., starting in part. A choice lot

of poor health. 1141 Peralta st.  
**MALL grocery store.** \$475; run-  
 \$12.50. 3907 Telegraph ave.  
**MALL store groceries invoice;**  
 running stock of food. 1491 So. 11th.  
**ALTERING, cleaning, dyeing, husi-**  
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**UNCLEARING shop.** 11res. fully

**ALL MUST AND WILL BE SOLD**  
**J. A. MUNRO & CO., AUCTIONEERS**

**Auction Sale**  
Of bankrupt stock of a complete  
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rooms, 1917 Clay st. nr. 11th st.  
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and notions, 2 living rooms,  
1000—Grocery, delicatessen, rent  
500—Cigar stand; corner; central,  
barbers, vulcanizing plants and  
business chances of all kinds.  
PHOS. & SODA, E. E. CO.,  
280 Lacon block.  
VULCANIZING shop complete; make  
offer. San Pablo at 19th st.

CLEANING shop on Bdwy; splendid proposition; 14, 3500, Mer. 2148.  
 WANTED—Shoe repairing shop, first class order, nr. business section. Inquire 611 14th st., Oak. 1270.  
 ELL estab. profitable meat market. If interested address Box 119, Tri-  
 \$2000—Movie Theater

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**Building and Lot**  
237 chairs, machine, located splendid corner, nice lot fenced; will take paying proposition. owner died. See Mr. Ervin, 191 Syndicate building.

**1,000—GOOD—PAYING** investment in growing locality: 4 flats, 26

**A SCALE bargain:** easy terms; \$600 down, balance \$10 per week. A large stock of new goods at low prices. All over 12th near Harrison.

**ALICE**, 222 12th, near Harrison.

**DONALD**, typewriter, like new; exchange for jewelry. Ph. 8-678.

**A FORD CHEVROLET** or other light car wanted for cash.

**BUSINESS MAN WANTED**  
WILL to have good investment offered in a garage, preferably 4 or 4 1/2 stalls.  
**RESTAURANT BUSINESS WANTED.** I will buy all or a small interest in an insurance office or will buy small real estate business that has good profit.  
J. J. LUKKE, 2428.

**INSURANCE BUSINESS** Box 3997, Tribu-  
ne. **WANTED** men and women, desire  
to take a grocery or candy business.  
Preferable in a good business com-  
munity. Have \$2250 cash. Box 6771,  
Tribune.

**DRIVING GARAGE** wanted about 4000  
sq. ft. or only. Box 4120 Tribune.

**BARBICUT SALE!**  
Garlic, garlic, rubber, loose, garlic,  
bars, roofing and building paper,  
cut prices. Cut-Rite Hardware,  
361 Broadway.

**REAL THING** lady's platinum set  
round cluster ring, center 4-k  
small perfect stones.  
Box 4120 Tribune.

WANT to buy at once, a small store where shrewdly man can make a comfortable life. For invest call on Mr. J. H. Tipton, 1001-1003, 10th St., St. Louis, Mo. 63104. Box 5771, Tribune.

**WANTED:** Will buy small business or interest with reasonable price. The advertiser in receipt only. Box 77752, Tribune.

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**CHILDREN'S PLAYHOU**  
Two rooms, \$17/mo and \$19/  
plus electricity windows

state bank business, am proud salesman and have college and local connections. Will sacrifice for the law. Box 13222, Tulsa, Okla.

**INVESTMENTS**

WANT \$1000 to invest with services as partner in garage or auto. KOUSS

8000 ft. sq. house, well painted, 12 rooms, 2 1/2 baths, 2 porches, 2 car garage and granite, house painted inside and out, electric lights and double doors. House can be taken away with truck. Will sacrifice for \$250 or less. Call 555 Walker ave. or phone OK land 6545 between 9 a. m. and 2 p. m. Sunday.

**CHEAT** egg rack. 126-egg incubator. \$100.00.

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dress; principals only. Box 875.  
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**BOOKS WANTED.**

**BOOKS** Bought by Hard's Book-  
store, 915 Ewy. Oak, 4715

U S 16th. exp. bed. complete; W  
M dining table, also new shoes  
Hartford, Conn. 1478.

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others to be had. Pled. 60.25W.

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2149 E. 14TH ST., COR. 22D AVE., OAKLAND.  
PHONE MERKITT 111.  
**WRECKING MATERIAL**  
Lumber of all dimensions rough and finished, suitable for all building purposes. Good roofing, flooring, ceiling, etc. Our prices are EXCELLENT. **YOU OUGHT TO HAVE** 1000 ft. redwood lumber, 2x12, 4x10 to 12x12, lengths to 26 ft. Phone 2010 to 2100.  
**READY ROOFING**—1, 2, 3-ply new, fireproof, 10 to 20 seconds. Poultry netting, 1 and 2-in. mesh.  
**PLUMBING FIXTURES** bath tubs, toilets, lavatories, sinks, boilers, traps, pipe and fittings of all sizes.

**Oakland Plumbing Supply Co.**  
640 Broadway, at Seventh.  
**Toilets Complete**  
\$22.50  
**Wash Trays \$5.50**  
**Sinks \$3.00**  
**2-Ply Roofing Paper \$1.50**  
Complete stock of Cast Iron Pipe, Fittings and Valves.

**DARK green crepe mottled dress**, blue serge coat, blue serge skirt, girls' gymnasium suit, all size 45. \$15.50 47th ave.  
**DROPPED**, New Home shuttle sewing machine, like new, bargain, 14th Grove Ave., 17th and Grove.  
**DRESS SUIT**, brand new, 42 size, cost \$100, for sale cheap. 1014 Broadway, Oakland.  
**DAHLIA BULBS** for sale, best variety, Philip Spagnuolo, 721 Kirkham St., Oakland, Cal.  
**ELECTRIC** washers sold on terms, 1000 ft. redwood lumber, 2x12, 4x10 to 12x12, lengths to 26 ft. Phone 2010 to 2100.  
**EXTRA heavy work bench** and **Wedgehead** stove, carpets, some furniture, West Basement, 584 12th St.  
**Electric washer**, gas range, orchard pump, lawn mower, kitchen sink, table, power sprayer, stove pipe, 6254 14th St.  
**Evening dress** for sale, also three-piece suit, like new, 14th Grove Ave., 17th and Grove.  
**FOR SALE**—wood or coal cook stove, 42 inch, 3-burner gas stove with oven; both in good condition, with new flues, 14th Grove Ave., Phone Piedmont 5785V.  
**FOR SALE**—Oven with three different heats; good for small hotel, institution, 14th Grove Ave., Phone Piedmont 5785V.  
**FOR SALE**—Beautiful new lady's **Wardrobe**, 1000 ft. redwood lumber, 2x12, 4x10 to 12x12, lengths to 26 ft. Phone 2010 to 2100.  
**FOR SALE**—One plow and one cultivator, also about two tons of nails, Eastern Junk Co., 806 Franklin St.  
**FOR SALE**—1500 watt electric heater, like new, 14th Grove Ave., Phone Piedmont 5785V.  
**FOR SALE**—Wicker baby buggy, fine condition, Phone Merritt 1114, 14th Grove Ave., 17th and Grove.  
**FOR SALE**—Brought home pedigree **ROBIN** bird, pups, beautifully marked, 706 Taylor Ave., Alameda.  
**FOR SALE**—1-burner gas range, 1 double cut, Eureka, 14th Grove Ave., Phone Piedmont 5785V.  
**FOR SALE**—\$100 gas range, first class condition, 330, 14th Grove Ave., N. Berkeley.  
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**"GROZ IT"**  
Ask your dealer. It beats 'em all. For garden or lawn. H. Gould Co., 20242 Hayward, Cal.  
**GAS RANGE**, good condition, 3885 Howe St.  
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**HOT POINT** vacuum sweeper, double fireless cooker, Ford motor, 3195 Adelphi St., South Berkeley.  
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**IRON gates**, 2 dentists' cabinets, 3 partition screens, 1 old-fashioned refrigerator, 14th Grove Ave., 17th and Grove.  
**Edison phonograph**, fine parlor electric fixtures, 1 Swiss music box, 14th Grove Ave., 17th and Grove.  
**Edison moving picture machine**, 1 Oliver, 14th Grove Ave., 17th and Grove.  
**INCUBATOR**—999 eggs, 14th Grove Ave., 17th and Grove.  
**LARGE Victoria**, good as new, good condition, 14th Grove Ave., 17th and Grove.  
**French plate mirror**, 1 hall, 1 large bedroom suit, and other things, 14th Grove Ave., 17th and Grove.  
**diamonds**, home till noon, afternoon by appointment, 5514 Grove St., 65th Ave., 4215.

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**Specials. Few Days Only**  
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